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Reinforced Eighth Army About Ready To Resume Drive

Morocco Radio Report Supplements Berlin Statements in Similar Vein—American Flying Fortresses Thunder Into Tripolitania—British Push Nazis Off Important Ridge

Italian Garrisons Surrender

LONDON, Jan. 12 (CP)—Forward elements of the British Eighth Army at Wadi Zemzem, 160 miles southeast of Tripoli, were reported tonight to have received strong reinforcements of tanks and infantry, and indications were that the British forces were about ready to resume their advance westward.

The Morocco radio was the source of the report that reinforcements have reached Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's forces. This supplemented Berlin statements of Saturday night that thousands of Allied vehicles have been concentrated to the south of Marshal Erwin Rommel's positions for an attack.

Meanwhile, the Anglo-American-French forces in Tunisia and the Fighting French in the Fezzan sectors of Lower Libya and the Allied air forces dealt many blows at the Axis in the Mediterranean theatre.

The Morocco radio report said the Eighth Army reinforcements reached the British positions before Wadi Zemzem "in the last few hours."

If an attack was imminent, it obviously was in co-operation with the Fighting French of the mysterious Gen. Jacques Leclerc, who were reported within 300 miles of Tripoli, after announcing a complete conquest of Italy's Fezzan empire of salt marsh, oases and desert in southern Libya.

Among the developments of the day which sharpened the picture in the Mediterranean were these:

American Flying Fortresses for the first time thundered into Tripolitania out of the west and bombarded the Italian fort of Gadames, 170 miles southwest of Tripoli, near the Libyan-Tunisian-Algerian border.

Putting the Axis under a two-day hammering from American four-motored bombers for the first time in a twenty-four-hour cycle, the Fortresses and their Liberator mates from the Cairo force laid over Naples on the Italian mainland by

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WILL NOT CALL UP YOUTHS YET

No Early Downward Extension of Draft Age Classes, MacNamara Asserts

OTTAWA, Jan. 12 (CP)—Arthur MacNamara, director of National Selective Service, announced today that no early downward extension of the age classes liable for compulsory military service is contemplated by his branch.

"It has been decided not to call nineteen-year-olds at this time," Mr. MacNamara said The Canadian Press.

Recently nineteen-year-olds were made subject to the call-up and now are being drafted into the army. Since nineteen-year-olds are subject to call in the United States and since plans for the Canadian army during 1943 have not yet been started, there has been considerable speculation over the possibility of calling Canadians of the eighteen-year class.

The last extension of the call-up made men married prior to July 15, 1940, who are between the ages of

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Lives After Plane Crash

SPOKANE, Jan. 12 (AP)—Lieut. Ross E. White, of Levelland, Texas, who spent a chilled night in his wrecked plane high on the slope of Mount Spokane, was brought out on a sled hauled by the searching party which found him at 3.15 p.m.

The plane, which he was ferrying to Felts Field here from an unpublished base, crashed last night and his radio message for help launched a twenty-two-hour search for ground crews and airplanes.

Capt. D. H. Wallace, executive officer at the field and director of the search, said crews from farm telephones along the returning party's route installed lines. White was weak from exposure and facial injuries but in fair condition.

The small, twin-engined plane evidently struck the side of Mount Spokane at about the 5,000-foot level, crashing into a valley some thirty-five miles northeast of Spokane, the capital city.

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Fighter Planes Disrupt Nazis' Rail Transport

Sweep Over Low Countries After Bombers Smash at Ruhr Industries

LONDON, Jan. 12 (CP)—Allied fighter planes swept over the Low Countries today to disrupt Nazi water and rail transport, after heavy four-engined bombers smashed again last night at industrial targets in the Ruhr with 4,000-pound "block-buster" bombs.

"Many two-ton bombs were dropped" by the bombers raiding the Ruhr for the sixth time in nine days, "and the glow of considerable fires was seen," the Air Ministry news service said.

One big bomber in the force of undisclosed size was reported lost. The Germans set up heavy anti-aircraft fire, but their shouts blinding their probing searchlights. Nazi night fighters rose to give battle but "no serious encounter developed," the news service said.

Meanwhile the Ministry of Home Security announced that 109 civilians were killed or reported missing in German air raids during December, bringing the total for 1942 to 2,323.

From the start of the war to the

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Indicted for Lynching in U.S. County

JACKSON, Miss., Jan. 12 (AP)—A federal grand jury has today returned two indictments against four private citizens and a deputy sheriff, all of Jones County, Miss., with violation of Federal Civil Rights Statutes in the killing of Howard Wash, negro, at Laurel, Miss., October 16, 1942.

The first indictment named Nathaniel Harris, Alex Pryor, Barney Jones and William Jones Jones. The second indictment named these four and, in addition, Luther Holder, deputy sheriff and Jones County jailer.

Frank Coleman, Roanoke Va. special assistant to the United States Attorney-General, announced the indictments said his department's investigation indicated six other persons were "ringleaders" of a mob estimated at between fifty and 100.

Coleman described the indictments as the first of their type, involving an officer, in United States history, and the third of their general type on record.

Armed Forces to Get First Call on All Beef in Canada

Order Gives Prior Right—Civilians to Obtain Only What Is Left — May Result in Some Shortages

OTTAWA, Jan. 12 (CP)—All Canadian beef stored or imported in Canada was made the first priority levers today and civilian Canada will obtain only what is left after requirements of fighting men have been met.

Foods administration officials said frankly that the result may be less beef than usual for civilians in some areas. At the same time they said action is planned to see that there is equitable distribution of available civilian supplies.

While today's order which covers the whole Dominion, required that all beef be held until military needs are met, it does not mean that all these supplies will be required by the military, officials spokesman said.

The purpose is to see that the navy, army and air force have first call on beef, one official said. "The rest being held is examined by Agriculture Department inspectors and that meeting military specifications is set aside. From that point is taken what the military needs and what is left over is for civilian use and may be released for sale."

Under the new order, the Munitions Department, as purchaser for the armed forces, will have prior right at the beginning of each week to all beef supplies in store in abattoirs.

"The period for which the new

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French Leaders in Africa

Pro-United Nations General Henri Honore Giraud (Left), French High Commissioner in Tunisia and West Africa, is pictured with His Deputy, General Auguste Nogues, in Their Car in North Africa.

Thousands From Dominion Arrive Safely Overseas

Reinforcements for Canadian Army and R.C.A.F. in United Kingdom Happy and Cheerful—Second Large Contingent in Three Weeks—Some Troops in Almonte Week

A BRITISH PORT, Jan. 12 (CP)—New thousands of reinforcements for the Canadian Army overseas and for their R.C.A.F. have landed at this British port, happy and cheerful at reaching the United Kingdom and anxious to complete their training and get into action.

It was the second large contingent to arrive from Canada in three weeks.

The announcement of the arrival was delayed for security reasons, and by now the troops have been at their reception centres for some time.

Army units formed the majority of the movement, which included a large detachment of R.C.A.F. personnel and men from the combined training operation, included also was a group of Royal Canadian Navy men returning from leave in Canada.

The Atlantic crossing was said to have been uneventful and free from enemy interference.

One detachment of the Royal Canadian Army Service Corps and Royal Canadian Artillery personnel from training centres in Manitoba was involved in the recent train wreck at Almonte, Ont. Their officers spoke with pride of the assistance the men gave to injured civilians, singling out particularly Pte. F. R. Whitlock, of Keyes, Ont.

"Whitlock was wonderful," said Lieut. R. D. Pinney, of Saskatoon. "There was no need of anybody telling him what to do. He just went ahead and fixed up the injured people."

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GAINING GROUND ON LAST DRIVE

Allied Ground Forces Proceeding to Exterminate Japanese in Papua

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, Jan. 12 (Wednesday) (CP)—Allied ground forces gained against the only Japanese still holding out in the Papuan peninsula of New Guinea at Sanananda, the High Command announced today.

Only a fragment of the one-time Japanese Papuan army of 15,000 still remains on that point west of Buna, and the situation has been viewed as so hopeless that General Douglas MacArthur returned from the field last week to his Australian headquarters, indicating that to all intents and purposes that campaign has ended with the Japanese army's destruction.

Long-range bombers and attack planes raided what is regarded as the-only probable sector of ground action, the Lae-Salamaua area northwest of Buna. The planes bombed and strafed the trail to Kaiantum, destroying a bridge.

Another formation strafed the New Guinea coast as far as Ambojo.

Allied long-range fighters returned on a month-ended point, Puttera, in Portuguese Timor, destroying an enemy fighter on the ground and carrying out extensive low-level strafing of building and motor transport.

The Japanese also raided a point on Timor, but the attack attracted attention. Meanwhile, on the south coast of Dutch New Guinea, Nine-Mile Plantations inflicted what the communique described as "only slight damage" on the town.

Named for Labor Post At Ottawa

OTTAWA, Jan. 12 (CP)—Appointment of Charles P. Needham, of Toronto, a Canadian National Railways executive, as "associate director of National Selective Service (Civilian)" was announced today by Labor Minister Mitchell.

Paul Goulet, of Montreal, was appointed an associate director (civilian) some months ago and continues in that post with Mr. Needham.

Mr. Needham has assumed his new post, Mr. Mitchell said he "will have much to do with co-ordinating the civilian side of selective service work."

The minister announced—in the same statement that A. E. Proud-foot, who has been associate director of Selective Service (Civilian), has returned to his post as assistant general manager of the Mutual Life Assurance of Canada at Waterloo, Ont.

Mr. Proudfoot will be a general consultant on National Selective Service and it is proposed to make use of his services in that capacity from time to time, the minister said.

VOLCANOLOGIST DIES

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP)—Dr. Frank Alvord Perret, internationally noted vulcanologist, died at his home here after a heart attack on Friday until the outbreak of the Second Great War, Dr. Perret lived at the foot of Mont Pelee in Martinique, making his home on the volcanic slopes of the island.

Dr. Perret was the last eyewitness of the eruption of Mount Pelee, which in a 1902 eruption had brought death to all but one man of the 28,000 inhabitants of St. Pierre, showed signs of renewed activity.

Disclose Final Census Figure

OTTAWA, Jan. 12 (CP)—Canada had 11,506,808 citizens at June 2, 1941—9,500,148 male and 2,006,760 female—the Dominion Bureau of Statistics said today in disclosing final 1941 census figures. By provinces the final population figures, with the number of males in brackets, follow: Prince Edward Island 95,047 (49,228), Nova Scotia 577,962 (294,044), New Brunswick 457,401 (234,097), Quebec 3,331,882 (1,672,362), Ontario 3,787,655 (1,921,207), Manitoba 729,744 (370,079), Saskatchewan 895,992 (457,000), Alberta 796,169 (426,458), British Columbia 817,861 (439,051), Yukon 4,914 (3,153), Northwest Territories 12,271 (8,312).

Japanese Land More Men for Burmese Front

Display Sudden Strength in Resistance to British Drive on Akyab

LONDON, Jan. 12 (CP)—The Japanese suddenly have displayed strong resistance to the British drive of Akyab against British troops who have advanced to within about fifteen miles of that Bay of Bengal port in Burma, and have landed several thousand troops in Indo-China to bolster the Burma front, it was reported today.

A British communique from New Delhi said the Japanese were "resisting strongly" against continued pressure of Field Marshal Sir Archibald Wavell's forces, and a Reuters News Agency correspondent with the troops said British patrols penetrated as far as Foul Point, at the tip of the Mayu Peninsula.

This projection on the west side of the Mayu River, appeared ripe for the Japanese when the offensive appeared from Ridaing plains in the progress and had been attached in the region of Donbaik, where fighting is still going on, the correspondent said. At the tip of the penin-

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DEAL IS MADE WITH GERMANS

Laval Gives Up Territory, Warships and 400,000 Men to Hitlerites

LONDON, Jan. 12 (AP)—Hitler has made a political deal with Pierre Laval, Vichy head of Government, which permanently deprives France of 6,800 square miles of territory between two departments along the Belgian border, involves sending 400,000 more unwilling French workers to Germany and promises to strengthen Laval's position among French collaborationist leaders, a Fighting French spokesman said today.

At the same time the long-awaited agreement, which turned down Hitler's reported plan to conscript Frenchmen to fight the Bolshevik menace, left Laval in control of the French police in the former zone, with full police administrative powers generally, contained fewer concessions to the Germans than some observers had expected.

The departments which will not

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British Party Coming Today

SEATTLE, Jan. 12 (AP)—Two representatives of the British ministry of Labor and British shipyard workers' unions arrived here tonight from Ottawa to study methods of speeding shipbuilding methods and said they would leave early tomorrow morning for Victoria, B.C., without visiting any yards here.

"We've seen so much shipbuilding that we can't afford to spend time on it today," said one who already covered, registered Joseph Tolliday, officer of the United States Department of Labor. "We've been specially on the go for the last three weeks."

Tolliday said Washington, Oregon and Vancouver, the party will be joined by two men from Canada.

He said the party had been impressed tremendously by the shipservations, but were not in a position to comment because of the technical nature of their mission.

Members of the British party are: H. B. Smith, chief industrial commissioner, and Alex Gunn, assistant secretary, from the Labor Ministry; R. Pratt, representing the electrical unions; W. Roffey, plumbing trades unions; L. Mitchell and G. F. Cook, shipwrights' union. Thomas McKinney, boilermakers' union; Thomas Peet, plastic union; David Tarrant, welders' union, and Mrs. William Rodgers, secretary of the mission.

Ten More Caucasian Villages Set Free by Advancing Red Army

Report 2,000 Germans Slain in Drive Along Lower Don River Where Nazis Counter-Attacking Steadily—Forty Tanks and Twelve Guns Destroyed — Infantry Wiped Out

Stalingrad Gains Continue

MOSCOW, Jan. 12 (AP)—The Russian forces of the Caucasus were reported driving the Germans before them tonight in an offensive rolling rapidly on toward the strong Nazi positions of Krasnodar and Kropotkin, but the Soviet activities of the Middle Don were bitterly engaged by numerous and repeated counter-attacks by masses of German tanks and infantry.

In the Caucasus, Kuban Cossacks riding out of the mountains, horsemen in the black capes and high hats of their ancient forebears, captured an unbroken advance past half a dozen important cities and towns only two miles along the railway approaches to Rostov, thrusting forward rapidly across the steppes northwest of recaptured Mineralnye Vody, where the Kuban flows north before turning west to empty into the Black Sea at the Kerch Peninsula.

Field dispatches declared that the Caucasian provinces of North Ossetia and Kabardino Bakaria now had been wholly cleared of the invader; the midday Soviet communique announced that Russian cavalry forces had driven on an additional fifteen miles toward Rostov.

Of the fighting along the Lower Don, where powerful Russian forces are seeking to smash down upon Rostov from south, the Soviet Command's midday report made no specific mention of expressing "the enemy," it said, "is striving to stem the advance of Soviet troops, hurling large forces of tanks and infantry into the battle."

In less official quarters it was said that the Nazis, frantically trying to stem three most important of current Russian offensives, were throwing as many as a hundred tanks at a time into counter-attacks.

On the Moscow front as well, in the area southwest of Velikie Luki near the Latvian frontier region, the violent German resistance was officially reported.

From Europe Day by Day

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, Jan. 12—Capture of the important railway junction of Georgiyevsk and six other railway towns in the North Caucasus region left the Germans in the Don River and south Nazi attempts to make a stand there. The invaders, however, are seeking to hold the Victorian Kuban in the lower Don area in the hope of preventing the loss of Rostov.

The Russians have not been checked while the Nazis have suffered heavily in killed and wounded as well as in loss of ammunition and supplies.

The German Caucasus front, says the Moscow correspondent of The Times, narrows to a single line, only or half its length when the Nazis were trying to conquer Rostov. Red troops are hurrying artillery and infantry rapidly along the Caucasus foothills and Soviet tanks are in action.

Young generals commanding these Russian tanks and vehicles, although they have shown their superiority over the German, General Rokossovsky belongs to General Zhukov's School of Generals, Zhukov, by whom, before the war, German agents had great respect.

The military correspondent of The Times, forecast the German moves would make a stand on the Kuma River and Manych Rivers.

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BULLETINS

AWARDED $2,966

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 12 (AP)—Lenine Hansard, actor, publicist, was awarded $2,966, plus attorneys' fees, in her plagiarism suit against Twentieth Century-Fox Film studio. The writer alleged a portion of the film, "Hotel for Women," was based on her play, "Hotel Mad." The studio contended the screen play was from a story by Elsa Maxwell and Darryl Zanuck. The judgment was awarded by Federal Judge J. T. T. O'Connor.

HOME BOMBED

BERLIN (From German Broadcasts), Jan. 12 (Wednesday) (AP)—Transocean News said today the Transocean News and Deutsche Allgemeine Agency reported today in a Vichy dispatch that a bomb exploded in front of the home of the French writer, Henri Jean Glaus, at Manosque in the Lower Alps, Monday night, causing considerable damage, but no one was injured. Glaus was arrested September 16, 1938 by Premier Edouard Daladier's Government for having made what Berlin described as "defeatist statements." He has been an outspoken pacifist.

PAPER CRITICAL

LONDON, Jan. 12 (Reuters broadcast)—Commenting on Lieut.-Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's commander of political affairs in the North-West-Chronicle said today that "it has occasionally been unfortunately reminded, lasting harm may be done not only in North Africa, but in the good understanding between Britain and America." It said "replacement of Darlan by Giraud appears so far to have had little or no result. It is far from certain, too, that Britain and America are working in full harmony. They removed discriminations give the Axis rentlasting opportunity to put ever disruptive propaganda."

GENERAL GREGORY ZHUKOV

WORKERS' DAILY reports as he prepared the Volga River campaign. He is said to be one of the ablest Soviet military leaders and prepared the Red Winter offensive in the southern sector which Hitler's forces have been unable to stop.

FUNERAL HELD OF B.C. FLYER

Bodies of "Molly" Small and Four Others Recovered—Services Conducted

(By The Canadian Press)

HALIFAX, Jan. 12 (CP)—The bodies of Squadron Leader N. E. (Molly) Small and four other airmen have been recovered following the crash of an R.C.A.F. plane near a Newfoundland air base last week the Eastern Air Command announced tonight.

Squadron Leader Small, one of the first three airmen to win the D.F.C. on the side of the Atlantic and the other four flyers were listed as "missing and presumed dead" when the Eastern Air Command first announced the crash last Sunday. Two men survived the accident and made their way to safety.

Small was credited with five attacks against enemy submarines in Canadian waters, three of them considered "successful." The award of the D.F.C. came to the Allandale, Ont., airman in the New Year's honours list. He also holds the A.F.C.

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More Arrests in Probe of Murder of Admiral Darlan

Spokesman Also Announces General Giraud and General De Gaulle Meet Soon to Reach Agreement

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, North Africa, Jan. 12 (AP)—"Christmas Eve assassination of Admiral Jean Darlan, then High Commissioner of North Africa, appears to have been the result of a conspiracy with a wide range of directions" and additional "persons-in-plots have been apprehended in the case, a spokesman for General Henri Giraud, the Allied commander, announced tonight.

A number of those arrested early in the investigation have been released, however, said the spokesman, who replied that he could not foresee the trend of the inquiry when he was asked if a French monarchist group headed by the Count of Paris, had figured in the case.

All of same time another announcement of great political importance, the first meeting of North Africa was made by the spokesman, who said that General Giraud will meet General Charles de Gaulle, the Fighting French leader, in the near future in an effort to reach a working agreement for the two French forces.

The official spokesman, who addressed a press conference after the City of Algiers had emerged for two days with rumours of the arrest at Oran of prominent French officials, stressed throughout that the investigation

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PLANS BATTLE

STRIKE CLOSES STEEL PLANTS

Employees Protest Findings Against Increase in Base Wage Rates

(By The Canadian Press)

One of Canada's largest steel specialty-producing plants was closed today (Wednesday) and union employees of a second nearby plant refused to go on strike Thursday to protest the findings of a conciliation board recommended against increases in the industry's base wage rates.

Operations at the plant of the Dominion Steel & Coal Corporation at Frittner, N.S. came to a halt yesterday morning when 2,000 men of the local union walked out. Union officials said 2,600 employees on night shifts at the plant also were expected to leave.

At Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., members of the United Steel Workers of America (CIO) voted last night to call a strike Thursday in the plant of the Algoma Steel Corporation there. This would add about 3,000 men to the strike list.

Only one of the three basic steel plants not affected is that of the

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Rules Against Kaiser Yards

PORTLAND Ore., Jan. 12 (AP)—Henry J. Kaiser's workers, American Federation of Labor, are not Government employees, N.L.R.B. Trial Examiner Robert Denham ruled tonight.

In so doing he held that the N.L.R.B. had jurisdiction over the charges of unfair labor practices against Kaiser's Portland, Vancouver yards. The C.I.O. claims the yards, which employ about 15,000 war workers, violated the Wagner Act by signing A.F.L. closed shop contracts without a certification vote and before a majority had joined.

Harry S. Morton, Kaiser legal chief, had moved for dismissal of the charges, claiming that Uncle Sam was the actual owner of the yards and that Kaiser was merely his agent.

The Wagner Act does not cover Government workers.

FOOD PRICES UP

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP)—Retail food prices in the United States rose 18 per cent. in the last year, and in the twelve months ended November 15 stood 31 per cent above the 1935-39 average, the Federal Reserve Board reported today.

Thousands of Russians Now Near Starvation

Freed But Stripped of Every Possession by Invaders, Even Homes Burned—Look to Canada And Other Allies for Food and Clothing

By EZRA VILENSKY

MOSCOW, Jan. 12—I have visited many villages and towns where the Germans have held sway. What I have seen is hard to relate. No words can convey a picture of the frightful havoc wrought by the Germans.

The village of Mikhailovka, in the Kalinin region had 135 houses. Of them eight survived. In these eight houses there is not one window pane left and the doors are torn off. These buildings survived only because they are brick and the Germans retreated so fast they had no time to wreck them completely. Everything else was consigned to the flames.

During the German occupation, about two dozen inhabitants remained in the village. They slept in cowbarns or basements. In the daytime they wandered through the village and, together with dogs rummaged in the garbage. I have seen a ten-year-old girl, Nina Shevlyakova, who wore nothing but a man's torn jacket. Her parents were killed and her home was looted and burned by the Germans. For two and a half months she had not seen bread and had eaten only frozen potatoes which she found abandoned in the fields.

APPALLING SIGHT

She presented an appalling sight. Her legs were as thin as matches. Her face was white without the least bit of color. Her eyes were big and frightened. Russian soldiers who recaptured the village gave her felt boots, trousers and a sheepskin coat. They also gave her a slice of bread—a small slice so that she could not overeat after starvation. Nina ate half the slice and put the other half in her pocket.

When Mikhailovka was liberated, the inhabitants began to flock back. From the nearest city came first trucks with food, clothes, medicines and building materials. The sound of axes filled the air. Peasants, assisted by soldiers, built the first houses and seventy-five persons took up their abode in three small ones. Yet they were happy. They were home and had a roof over their heads. Now they are receiving help from districts in the interior. Parcels arrive from people unknown to them. They are commencing a new life.

One might ask why the Germans burned Mikhailovka. Was there any military reason for destroying this quiet village situated at a distance from the highways? Or did they wreak revenge on non-combatant civilians for partisan attacks? Or was Mikhailovka perhaps an isolated case?

SYSTEMATIC TERRORISM

The burning of Mikhailovka was not an isolated case. The Germans methodically looted Soviet settlements village after village, house after house. They condemned the inhabitants to frightful privations, disease and death from cold and exposure. Tens of hundreds of thousands of people were left shelterless. And all this was part of the task assigned to the German army. This is borne out by statements of the Germans themselves.

Here is what Karl Weigel, a non-commissioned officer of Field Post No. 42 063, wrote in his diary: "We burn everything we come across. No mercy is shown to women or children. We must remember the Fuehrer's injunction: 'Be ruthless.' We have become ruthless. The children's cries are carried away by the wind. We don't listen."

That diary was found on the central front. On the southwestern front a mailbag was seized containing letters which German soldiers had written home. In one was a letter which Obergefreiter Hans Manz wrote to a certain Kaethe Lauhofer at Nakenheim.

"When we pass through a village the people look at us with fear, wondering whether we are going to burn their homes," it said. "Hitherto the sappers have done it. Now we ourselves must set the houses on fire. You cannot imagine what the people here experience. Women and children wander shelterless with bundles of salvaged belongings. No mercy is shown anybody. The tiniest huts are consigned to the flames. You there suffer from British raids, but that is nothing compared with what is taking place here. The people must surrender their last bit of thread and in return we set their houses on fire."

"A PICTURE OF HORROR"

Here is a letter from Kurt Krike, a non-commissioned officer at Field Post 21387, to Hildegard Specht at Breslau:

"What I see here is a picture of horror. Orphans and cries, villages in flames, children who have lost their kin."

These pictures are so appalling that even veteran robbers and incendiaries like those Krikes, Manzes and Weigels are horrified. Even they cannot calmly contemplate their handiwork. It is, therefore, easy to imagine how frightful and tragic it is.

At present we in Moscow don't speak of retribution—that will come. Nor do we speak of material compensation—a special commission formed by the Soviet Government will draw up accounts when the time comes. At present we are concerned with helping the Soviet people and Soviet districts liberated from the Germans. Fortunately, the number of such districts and people is steadily increasing. In the last six weeks of 1942 alone the Russian army in the area of Stalingrad and the middle reaches of the Don have liberated 1,589 settlements. This gives some idea of the vast needs of hundreds of thousands of people who must be supplied with the prime necessities of food products, underwear, clothing, medicines and household utensils. The Russian people are doing everything in their power to help liberate their brothers and they are filled with profound gratitude for the assistance rendered the Soviet peoples by the peoples of Britain, Canada and the United States.

Our friends abroad are doing a noble work in the Russian war relief campaign. The Russian army is now advancing in many directions, every day dozens of settlements are being recaptured. The people in those districts have been reduced by the Germans to utter destitution.

Contributions for the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund may be sent to this paper or direct to the National Headquarters of the Canadian Aid to Russia Committee, 60 King Street W., Toronto.

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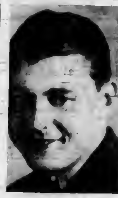

CPL. CHARLES J. SHARP

WELL-KNOWN Victoria athlete, who was killed in action at Hongkong. He enlisted in Victoria in February, 1939, and left for the Far East in October, 1941, where he served with the R.C.C.S. He is survived here by his widow, Mrs. Christine Sharp, 617 Constance Avenue.

DEAL IS MADE WITH GERMANS

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be restored to the French State are those of Nord and Pas-de-Calais, extending from the North Sea southward for about 100 miles along the Belgian border. They are part of the recently created "forbidden zone" in which the Germans are building fortifications. Most Frenchmen have been removed from the zone.

Hitler strengthened Laval's hand against his collaborational rival, Jacques Doriot, leader of the French Fascistic Popular Party, to the degree that he assured the former that his Government is the last with which Berlin will negotiate.

As part of the agreement Laval promised to turn over to Germany five French destroyers and two large tugs, presumably the remnants of the French fleet scuttled at Toulon.

The agreement was reached at the December conference of Laval with Hitler and Count Galeazzo Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, according to information brought here from France.

TEN POINTS

The spokesman said Laval, Hitler and Ciano reached a ten-point agreement, as follows:

1. Hitler assured Laval his would be the last French Government with which Germany would negotiate.
2. Laval was granted direct control over all police in what was formerly the occupied zone and the increased administrative powers generally.
3. Hitler agreed to abandon his plan to reorganize the French army on a compulsory basis to fight against the United Nations.
4. Hitler will act as arbiter in further French-Italian negotiations.
5. Laval will deliver five destroyers and two large tugs to the German fleet.
6. Laval will send 400,000 skilled workers to Germany.
7. Germans will take full control of all French industry, finance and agriculture.
8. The French departments of Nord and Pas-de-Calais will not be restored to the French State.
9. Demarcation lines between these two zones will not be abolished.
10. The question of making Paris the seat of Laval's Government was postponed.

PLANES DISRUPT NAZI TRANSPORT

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end of 1942, the Ministry added, 47,860 Britons have been killed and 56,490 injured in air raids.

Following up the night raid on the Ruhr, aircraft of the Fighter Command and Army Co-operation Command attacked and damaged water transport and railway targets in offensive patrols over the Low Countries, the Air Ministry said. It added:

"None of our aircraft is missing."

One Norwegian pilot raked three tugs in a Netherlands canal with gunfire and left them sinking, the Air Ministry news service said in amplifying the communique, and two locomotives, several freight cars and barges also were reported hit.

ADMIRAL AT MOSCOW

MOSCOW, Jan. 12 (AP)—Admiral William H. Standley arrived in Moscow in a bomber from Kuibyshev today, after a three months' absence for consultation in Washington on closer war collaboration between the United States and the Soviet Union.

ARMED FORCES TO GET BEEF FIRST

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order will be in effect is indefinite, said the food administration's statement. "Marketings of beef cattle at present are very light, and beef at present is in short supply in nearly all areas of Canada."

Beef requirements of the armed forces in Canada are about 5,000,000 pounds a month. The military requirements run on an even basis with little change in purchases from week to week, but cattle marketings are uneven. During recent weeks marketings have been light and the percentage of the total taken by the military has been higher, in consequence.

"The proportion of beef marketings taken by the armed forces may run from 8 to 20 per cent of the total, and even as high as 25 per cent on some occasions," one official said.

In some areas where marketings are good and military demands small, there may even be a surplus of beef for civilian use despite the new order, but an official said that "arrangements already have been made for the shipment of butter from surplus to shortage areas, and perhaps the same thing will have to be done about beef."

Because beef production is large in the West, it did not follow that people there would feel effects of the order most lightly. Shipments of Western beef to Eastern shortage areas have been heavy and Eastern buyers have had to depend on these supplies.

MORE ARRESTS IN DARLAN SLAYING

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gation is being made by the military authorities and is proceeding "without consideration of the prominence of the persons involved, or their political faiths."

FANTASTIC STORY

C.B.S. Correspondent Charles Collingwood, in a broadcast from Algiers, said the arrests were made Sunday and added:

"It's a fantastic story, a story of kings and traitors, of fanaticism and of deceit. You almost have to rub your eyes to believe that it could happen now, in the twentieth century.

"The murder of Darlan possibly was political, but the investigation and trial will be conducted merely as that of a criminal for a crime needing punishment," the spokesman said.

Those who have been arrested will be tried by a military tribunal composed of five judges, he added.

He made it clear that the new personages arrested were in addition to the twelve who, Giraud announced on New Year's Eve, had been seized in a plot to kill Giraud and Robert Murphy, President Roosevelt's personal minister in North Africa. General Giraud at the same time said some of the twelve were personal friends and others had aided the Allied landing last November and participated in a secret rendezvous with United States Lieut.-General Mark W. Clark.

The spokesman said that in some cases the questioning of the twelve had led to new arrests.

A Reuter's dispatch from Algiers reported that the new arrests were carried out on the orders of General Jean Marie Bergeret, Giraud's deputy and former Air Minister at Vichy.

A young man, described by authorities as a Frenchman whose Italian mother lives in Italy, has paid for Darlan's murder with his life, executed as the actual killer.

After announcing the new arrests, the spokesman said "many telegrams have been exchanged between General Giraud and General De Gaulle with a view to reaching an agreement," and he announced their forthcoming meeting.

"I don't know exactly when the meetings will occur, but it will be soon," he said.

THOUSANDS ARRIVE SAFELY OVERSEAS

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Others mentioned for performing meritorious service in the wreck were Pts. J. A. Bragg, of Edmonton; Christensen, of Carstairs, Alta., and J. MacFarlane, of Winnipeg.

MEN EXUBERANT

These men were full of stories about the train wreck. They were exuberant also over reaching Britain.

"Bragg did a great job getting a trapped passenger out alive and MacFarlane was one of a group which helped get more than twenty out of the wreck, while Christensen was on the job every minute helping the hospital train people," said Lt. W. J. L. Hilton, of Winnipeg.

Lt.-Col. R. S. Timmis, D.S.O., of Toronto, was in charge of the troops during the voyage.

"All these trips were made without hindrance by the enemy," said R.S.M. J. Copeland, of Toronto, making his eighteenth crossing in a year.

The draft represented army training centres from Gordon Head, B.C., to Debert, N.S., and included men for the infantry, artillery, engineers, Armored Corps, Service Corps, medical, dental, ordnance and forestry groups.

Naval officers included Surgn. Lt. R. J. Townsend, of Westmount, Que.; Lts. Bruce Wright, of Fredericton, N.B., W. O. Dolmage, of Vancouver, and John Woods, of Toronto. There also were a number of ratings reporting to the Canadian naval base in the United Kingdom.

Wing Cmdr. A. K. Aspen, of Toronto, was the senior R.C.A.F. officer, whose staff included Sqdn. Ldr. G. Nanton, of Winnipeg.

PRESENT FOR HITLER

AN EAST COAST CANADIAN PORT, Jan. 12 (CP)—A group of Canadian soldiers and airmen sailed from this war port on a frosty December morning—"a kind of delayed Christmas present for Hitler," according to the colonel in charge.

Safe arrival of the convoy, jammed with eager scrappers from all nine provinces in the Dominion, was announced in Britain today.

It was a typical wartime movement, made up of reinforcements for practically every branch of the army overseas.

There were tank men and sappers, foot sloggers and dentists, signalers and clerks as well as technicians for the R.C.A.F.

They sailed before news of Canadian troop arrivals in North Africa reached here, but even then they seemed to sense Dominion soldiers were soon headed for action.

Headed for forestry units already overseas was a group of sergeants who said, "We're really brighter than this generally, but we're recovering from Christmas."

West Coast representatives in this area and saw battalion included Sergt. M. MacDonald, from Prince Rupert, and Sergt. R. A. Donstrom, of Fernie. Donstrom is no novice to this game, having been with the British Columbia Forestry Service for twelve years prior to joining the army.

A former cowboy, Sergt. J. McKee, of Claresholm, Alta., was with the engineers and he said he liked his new life "just fine." Another Westerner, Sergt. A. P. Gardner, of Peace River, Alta., was in the group.

Sergt. O. D. Woods, of Wetaskiwin, Alta., was told when he climbed aboard a troopship here that the Atlantic crossing would be like riding a broncho, but that rugged member of the Forestry Corps only grinned.

"Bet I don't grab leather," he retorted, leaving the sailor who had tried to "put his wind up" looking more than a bit mystified.

"That's Woodie's rodeo lingo," a pal explained, adding, "that guy was good when he was younger."

Woods told how for many years he followed the rodeos through Western Canada and the United States.

"I had to quit when I got busted up," he said, pointing to one shoulder that jutted higher than the other. "It was busted when a steer won the contest, instead of me."

After that, Woodis settled down in Wetaskiwin. But when the war came he enlisted in the Forestry Corps.

"I like it fine," he said, "but it's not as much fun as broncho riding, roping steers and bulldogging."

The sergeant said he was married and had two children. "No," he said, "guess neither one takes after me. They are girls, you see. The oldest one, eighteen, is studying music, but the younger one might do all right in a saddle later on.

"Right now she runs the hard ragged by using calves for ponies."

Dentists who could hardly wait to get a drill on some soldier's molar overseas sailed with the group.

All captains, the eight "ivory carvers" were commanded by L. A. MacLean, a genial dentist with a permanent chairside manner. A native of Minnedosa, Man., he had been two years with the army before sailing.

Other Westerners included Scott Banford, New Westminster.

WILL NOT CALL UP YOUTHS YET

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nineteen and twenty, liable to the call.

As the call-up regulations now stand, all single men and widowed, divorced or legally-separated men without children between nineteen and forty are liable to call, as well as the small class of married man under twenty-five.

Meanwhile, the Selective Service Branch is attempting to complete the call-up of all men who were single in July, 1940, between the ages of nineteen and forty who have not yet been called. Under a recent proclamation all such men are required to report by filling in special forms available at local offices of Selective Services and at postoffices.

This procedure which amounts to a re-registration of all men legally callable but not yet called, is to be completed by February 1.

FROM EUROPE DAY BY DAY

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sians are too strong for the enemy even here. The correspondent suggests the Nazis' next attempt to check their retreat will be on a line at the Kuban River. The enemy retirement, however, is at a sensational pace.

Nazi military commentators for the first time are allowed to disclose something of the Caucasus defeats, but these are explained as deliberate military operations well under control. Probably the Germans' present aim is to hold the bridgehead beyond Rostov and cling if possible to the Maikop oilfields, hoping to get some oil there by next May.

It is highly significant that General Dittmar, chief German radio commentator, admits the German army is inferior to the Russian in numbers. A fresh comb-out of Nazi youth will be required.

General Giraud has made the surprising disclosure that 70,000 Germans are now in Tunisia, sent there to save what is left of Rommel's army and to hide the defeats in Russia. A well-equipped enemy knowing well how to fight faces the British and United States armies. As for the French forces, they had to be equipped with modern armaments and to learn modern warfare.

One cannot improvise on the battlefield, added General Giraud. It would be an army that knew how to fight that he would lead into battle at the right moment.

Friendly conversations have been proceeding between British and Turkish Government representatives over future supplies of chrome, a share of which the Turks have promised Germany during the coming year. The Nazis will obtain supplies, however, only in proportion to German war material delivered to Turkey, and only if first deliveries are made before the end of next March. The Anglo-Turkish agreement which has just expired gave the United Kingdom an option on the entire Turkish chrome production.

The disclosure is made in a Nazi technical journal that 56,000 police chiefs who in peacetime were in charge of various German states were secret officers of the German army and mobilized as such when the war started.

JAPANESE ROAD LABOR IN INTERIOR URGED

Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Public Works, has communicated with Ottawa in regard to a proposal by which Japanese labor would be employed on the Kaslo-Lardeau road near Nelson, in the Kootenay district, he has advised the council of the Nelson Board of Trade.

The Nelson board recently urged that Japanese labor be employed on the road, or on other roads in the district requiring improvement.

Believe Reinforcements Sent In to Kiska Island

Long Arctic Nights Apparently Give Japanese Opportunity to Move Men and Supplies—Position Said, However, to Be No More Secure

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP).—Under cover of the long Arctic nights, the Japanese invaders of Kiska Island in the Aleutians appear to have been receiving supplies and reinforcements.

Military authorities who declined to be quoted by name expressed the opinion today, however, that on the basis of available information, the enemy's hold on their bleak outpost off Alaska probably is little if any more secure than it was last Fall when army air attacks eased off because of the fog and darkness that set in with Winter.

One of the most recent indications that the Japanese have not been idle came when two Lightning fighters escorting medium bombers on a raid over Kiska harbor were shot down by four Japanese Float-type Zero planes on December 30. Only one of the Zeros was destroyed. That was the first evidence in many weeks that the Japanese had Float planes at Kiska, and occasioned considerable surprise that they had been able to move in such reinforcements.

The Japanese moved into Attu, Agattu and Kiska Islands, the westernmost Aleutians, last June simultaneously with their attack on Midway Island. Their defeat at Midway left the northern arm of what they apparently had intended as a pincers drive on the North American continent more or less useless, and soon Allied air and naval attacks frustrated any subsequent plan they may have worked out to generate an independent offensive in the Aleutians.

Throughout the Summer and well into the Fall these attacks were carried out with the regularity of clockwork, and the Japanese lost heavily in ships and planes. The air assaults were intensified when the army, with naval support, established in late September an advanced air base in the Andreanof Islands, only 125 miles from Kiska at the nearest point.

JAPANESE WITHDREW

About the same time the Japanese withdrew from Attu and Agattu, where they had taken a heavy pounding, and strengthened their hold on Kiska apparently with the intention of digging in for the Winter. Beginning in October the American attacks let up somewhat because of bad weather, storms and fogs being characteristic of the region.

Late in November a communique disclosed that the Japanese had sent new forces into Attu and set up anti-aircraft defences, which on November 26 were strafed by army fighter planes. Since then American aircraft have noted various cargo or transport ships in the Kiska area.

Military and naval men, discussing the general Aleutians situation, said the long Northern nights, leaving only about three hours of daylight around noon, greatly limited American reconnaissance and bombing operations and gave the Japanese excellent cover for reinforcing movements.

The raid in which the Lightnings were lost produced only "uncertain results" so far as the bombing of enemy shipping was concerned, but it was followed in a few hours later by another raid in which three hits were observed on one enemy ship and two hits on another.

On January 1 American planes again returned to Kiska and six Zeros tried to intercept. One was shot down, no American planes were lost and a near hit was scored on one small ship. On January 5 an enemy cargo ship was bombed, set afire and sunk 110 miles northeast of Kiska, and the following day one direct hit and two near hits were made on another enemy ship 185 miles southwest of the island.

Desultory raids are expected to continue until longer days and improving weather make possible resumption of heavy attacks and the beginning of amphibious operations designed to plant the American flag once more over invaded islands.

STRIKE CLOSES STEEL PLANTS

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Steel Company of Canada at Hamilton, Ont.

ACTION ENDORSED

At Sydney a statement from the executive of the Sydney local of the United Steel Workers said that maintenance workers were on the job in the plant and that the executive endorsed the strike action.

The Sydney union issued a statement, which said that "the inevitable has happened with resentment at fever heat in protest against what the men must consider an unjust and unnecessary position brought about by legality evasion of the majority report of the Barlow Commission."

George MacNeill, president of the U.S.W.A. local at Sydney, said that the "backing" of some 2,000 steelworkers in the company's plant at Trenton, N.S., had been assured by Alphonse Murray, financial secretary of the Trenton local.

The situation was described as "serious" by C. M. Anson, general manager of the Sydney company. "The man just walked out," he declared. "The company received no notification whatsoever from the union regarding the strike."

Since 1941, the steelworkers at Sydney and at Sault Ste. Marie have been seeking a basic wage rate of fifty-five cents an hour for unskilled labor, exclusive of cost-of-living bonuses.

At present, Sault Ste. Marie workers are paid on a basic rate of forty-five and a half cents an hour, while workers at Sydney get forty-three and a half, both exclusive of cost-of-living bonuses. A full bonus is paid at Sydney, but only a partial bonus at Sault Ste. Marie.

TEN CAUCASIAN VILLAGES FREED

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portant junction 110 miles to the southeast, while the Soviets in Moscow announced the capture of ten more Caucasian settlements and the killing of 2,000 Germans along the Lower Don, where the Nazis are counter-attacking night and day.

Six villages, including Essentuki, or Yessentuki, Karas and Bestaunti—all in the Pyatigorsk area—fell to the advancing Russians, the regular Tuesday midnight communique said of the fighting along the Baku-Rostov railway skirting the north ern slopes of the Caucasian Mountains.

Another town which the Russians reported occupying was Levoukumsky, about seventy-five miles northeast of Georgievsk, and Reuter's News Agency said the Russian troops from the North Caucasus had joined forces near there with the Kalmyck Steppes army which had been driving southwestward.

In the north the Russians took four more settlements in the area of Zimovniki on the Stalingrad-Tikhoretsk railway. The Red Army's advance units are already beyond Kuberle, 150 miles southwest of Stalingrad on this railway, and less than fifty miles from Salsk.

Stockholm reports said that the Russians already were battling the Germans dug in northeast of Salsk, where a railway connects with Rostov to the northwest.

Along the lower Don River where the Russians last were reported about sixty miles east of Rostov, the Soviet communique also announced the capture of several localities but did not identify them. For three days the Russians have not announced any specific gains in this area.

GERMAN RESERVES

"The Germans are throwing in reserves in an effort to stem the Soviet advance at all costs," the communique said of this area where the Nazis are counter-attacking day and night.

"Soviet troops wore out the enemy by their defence and followed up with a strong blow. Some 2,000 of the enemy were wiped out. Forty tanks and twelve enemy guns were destroyed. Booty and prisoners were captured."

On the central front the Russians said their troops also repulsed Nazi counter-attacks northwest of Velikie Luki, which is eighty miles from the Latvian border. Two enemy tanks were blown up by Soviet mines, and the remaining five used in this day-long fight were destroyed by Red anti-tank guns, the communique said. Two hundred German dead were reported left on the battlefield.

In another sector of the central front Soviet troops wiped out about one Nazi infantry company and destroyed fourteen machine-guns, one self-propelling gun, an ammunition dump and other material, the communique said.

Soviet tanks and cavalry were credited with a major part of the continuing successes in the Caucasus where the Russians said hundreds of additional Germans were captured along with quantities of ammunition. Cossack cavalrymen already have penetrated into the Kuban River region, Moscow reports said.

Far behind Russian columns fighting along the lower Don River, the fighting continued in Stalingrad itself where the communique said Red shock troops wrested several more streets from the Germans in the city's factory area, occupied twenty blockhouses and thirty-seven dugouts, and captured two guns, nineteen machine-guns and a considerable amount of other equipment.

FUNERAL HELD OF B.C. FLYER

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The other four whose bodies have been recovered from the wrecked plane are P/O A. M. Tingle, Chilliwack, B.C.; Flt. Sgt. D. L. Hudson, whose wife lives at Yarmouth, N.S.; Flt. Sgt. J. T. Manson, North Bay, Ont., and Sgt. H. E. White, Saint John, N.B.

Flt. Sgt. J. E. V. Banning, Timmins, Ont., and Sgt. W. H. Wilson, Oakville, Ont., survived the crash.

Funeral services were held today with interment in the R.C.A.F. Cemetery in Newfoundland.

Air force officials said an investigation of the crash is underway. Sunday the R.C.A.F. statement described the cause of the accident as "obscure."

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EIGHTH ARMY IS READY TO ADVANCE

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daylight yesterday for their first bombing of that embarkation point and naval base in 1943.

In Tunisia, just to the south of the German perimeter about Tunis and Bizerte, British and French patrols were more active than in days and fought several successful actions, a North African headquarters communique reported.

ASTRIDE ROAD

British infantry and tanks pushed the Germans off a ridge and settled themselves astride the arterial Goubellat road six miles north of Bou Arada and about fourteen miles south of Medjez-El-Bab.

French troops of Gen. Henri Giraud drove the enemy out of a mountain pass farther to the south, at a point twenty-three miles south of Pont-du-Fahs. They reported the capture of at least 180 prisoners.

The Fighting French communique, in announcing the complete conquest of Fezzan after a march of more than 1,000 miles in three weeks across the Sahara from the Lake Chad area in Equatorial Africa, said the flying column of legionnaires and native troops had occupied Murzuch, religious capital of Fezzan, 480 miles south of Tripoli, and Sebha, the chief military centre, eighty miles farther north.

Almost the entire Italian garrisons at both places surrendered, the announcement said. Both these places had been by-passed in the advance to Brach, 350 miles south of Tripoli.

The communique said one forward spearhead drove on northward and routed an Axis motorized detachment. It was reported now only about 300 miles from Tripoli.

The Morocco radio said Rommel now will have to divert tanks and armored cars to meet the threat of Leclerc's column, which may either march on Tripoli or into Southern Tunisia.

The Cairo communique of the United States Air Force telling of the Liberator raid on Naples said harbor installations and shipping were hit and a "very large fire" was seen to penetrate a haze which obscured observation of other results. The Italians said some buildings collapsed and twenty-three persons were killed and seventy-five injured.

This the thirty-eighth raid of the war on Naples and a follow-up to several made by American bombers in December, resulted in loss of two of the big bombers. The Italians claimed that they shot down four of them. One of the Messerschmitts which attacked them was shot down.

A North African communique said the Fortresses also attacked Gabes, where a railway bridge was hit, while fighters shot down three Axis transport planes off Tunisia.

COMMUNISTS JOIN

LONDON, Jan. 12 (CP)—The French National Committee announced today that the French Communist Party outlawed in its Nazi-dominated homeland, has formally aligned itself with the Fighting French organization.

PARK BUILDER DIES

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12 (AP)—John McLaren, ninety-six, who built the world-famous Golden Gate Park here on a 1,400-acre site of sand dunes, died tonight.

FOOT GUARD DIES

OTTAWA, Jan. 12 (CP)—Thomas F. Benbow, seventy-one, a member of the Governor-General's Foot Guards Band for fifty years, died here today. Hector A. Benbow, of Vancouver, is a brother.

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Reporter Stumped by Privy Council Sitting

"You Can't Report These Things," Declares London Times Man When He Learns Canadian Press Writer Was Attempting to Do Just That

By DOUGLAS AMARON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Jan. 13 (CP).—A member of the bar can say he has lived when he has appeared before the judicial committee of the Privy Council." With due deference to their noble lordships, a newspaperman might say the opposite when he has eteffed one of their sessions.

I write with the authority of a person who sat through more than thirty hours of legal argument at the committee's hearing of Alberta's appeal against the Canadian Supreme Court judgment ruling the Debt Adjustment Act of 1937 ultra vires of the Provincial Legislature.

Of those thirty hours, at least twenty-five were devoted to reading great legal tomes, dealing with appeals from as far-away places as Burma and dating back as long ago as Confederation.

They all were important to the case, but from a reportorial point of view were a waste of time—unless the average reader has in his library editions of Dicey's Conflict of Laws, Halsbury's Laws of England and 100 similar ponderous volumes.

I was worried the first day, when my notebook was comparatively barren at the end of four long hours, especially since The Times' man, sitting beside me, had been writing continuously from the start.

So I took him aside when the sitting ended, to compare notes and find the proper approach to what to me was a new field.

"Good Lord, old boy you're not reporting this, are you?" he asked.

"Why, yes," I replied, "aren't you?"

HELPING OFFICIAL

"Heavens, no," he came back. "I may use a paragraph or two on the judgment, but I'm just helping out the official shorthand reporter. You can't report these things."

So with this pronouncement from the representative of such a paper as The Times to back me up, I plunged more happily into the day-to-day routine of piecing together 300 words of newsworthy material.

But formality of the legal argument excepted, there is much that is interesting about a Privy Council hearing. Take, for example, the usher who puts you at ease when you walk into the committee room by telling you to "make yourself at home." A well-set Irishman, he fought in the last war and when it ended took a "Government job" though he admits "I didn't become an usher right away."

You soon discover this man has strong Leftist leanings. He praises the Russians, criticizes the Conservatives, reads The Daily Worker over his sandwich lunch and recalls that when he first began work at No. 10 Downing Street he "almost lost his job because he read The Daily Herald, the Labor party's newspaper."

He is proud of his committee room and rules over it as a father over his family. He can name almost every peer in two huge oil paintings on the wall of the House of Lords debating the Home Rule Bill at the close of the last century.

When the board convenes at 11 a.m. the usher clears everyone from the room and, after the judges have taken their seats, brings them back with a shouted "Counsel please." It is the usher too, who opens the legal tomes at the proper pages and hands them to the judges and barristers when past cases are cited.

The judges themselves are a study. Members of the board for the Alberta appeal were Lord Maugham, the chairman, and Lords Russell, MacMillan, Romer and Clauson, collectively and individually among the finest legal authorities in the Empire. Youngest peer was sixty-nine-year-old Lord MacMillan. Lords Maugham and Romer shared seniority at seventy-six.

LOUNGE SUITS

All wore everyday lounge suits, in contrast to counsel who appeared in gowns and wigs, and steamer rugs which they wrapped around their knees to keep them warm added to the informality.

Lord Clauson, dour silent member of the board, usually wore a long-sleeved khaki sweater under his coat, while Lord Romer appeared one day with long, fingerless gloves. Genial red-faced Lord Russell received a glass of hot milk every morning.

The judges took a while to warm up to the argument, and Lord Maugham commented on the first day of the hearing that "we must give this case as much common sense as it merits." On the second day however, he advised counsel to take their time, "for this is an important case and we don't want to rush it."

Time and time again, judges interrupted counsel with questions or stopped the argument to discuss a point among themselves. They religiously marked down in their notebooks each of the scores of references cited by the barristers.

W. A. Barton, an English barrister representing the Alberta Attorney-General, invariably supported each point he raised with three or more citations from previous appeals.

These usually ran to such length that on the final day, when he cited three cases then apologized for being unable to read them, Lord Russell gleefully exclaimed "Good good."

The Alberta appeal may have made history in that it presented an occasion for security censorship. As the hearing went into its second week, it became apparent special arrangements would have to be made to enable C. F. H. Carson, Toronto barrister, to speak.

D. N. Pritt, M.P., whom he was to follow, could not finish in time for Carson to catch the plane taking him back to Canada, so Lord Maugham granted the Canadian permission to break in midway through Pritt's argument.

For security reasons however this unusual procedure could not be explained at the time.

Still Hope to Locate Gillam

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Jan. 12 (AP).—A second report from the Skeena River area, east of Prince Rupert, that a plane was heard overhead last Tuesday, the day the Harold Gillam plane disappeared on a flight north from Seattle, centred the search in the area today.

The last message from Gillam, veteran Northern pilot, said one of his motors had failed. His position at the time was believed to be in the Prince Rupert area.

Gillam had five passengers with him. His associates here were confident he and his party would be found camped somewhere in the region.

NOVEL SCHEMES

TORONTO, Jan. 12 (CP).—National headquarters of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire report that among novel schemes used by local chapters to raise money for war work during the past year was the sale of flowers at street corners in North Bay, and a chapter in Regina runs a bureau which offers to do anything from mending to giving mah jong lessons.

CASUALTIES LIGHT

MELBOURNE, Jan. 12 (CP).—The Royal Netherlands East Indies Army lost 150 officers and men, both Netherlanders and Indonesian, in fighting on islands north of Australia in the last half of 1942 an official statement said today. Most of the losses, it said, occurred in guerrilla operations. In one fight the Japanese left 200 dead on the battlefield while Netherlands losses were six men.

CHECK REGISTRATION CARDS

HALIFAX, Jan. 12 (CP).—During the past few days Royal Canadian Mounted Police have been conducting an inspection of national registration certificates of train passengers entering Halifax. Headquarters officials here said it was merely a routine inspection and might be expected at any time.

SURVIVORS LANDED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP).—The navy announced today that survivors have been landed in New York from a medium-sized United States merchant vessel torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine late in November in the Indian Ocean.

MOBILE BALLOON BARRAGE

LONDON (CP).—The British Air Ministry has devised a new weapon to meet air attacks—a mobile balloon barrage easily moved to any points where it is needed.

FOUR SWEAR WORDS

KINGSTON-ON-THAMES, England (CP).—"In Which We Serve," a British film which gained world-wide publicity over four swear words in it, was banned at a youth parade in this Surrey town.

STAMP NORSE EFFORT

LONDON (CP).—Postage stamps depicting Norway's war effort have been printed by the Norwegian Government here, to be used principally by her 30,000 seamen and by men and women in Norwegian military camps in Britain and Canada.

FORGOT MAYOR'S PAY

GRAVESEND, England (CP).—Mayor G. A. Pratt has had no salary since his election in November. The usual vote of £250 ($1,125) was forgotten and Mr. Mayor will have to wait until the next council meets to set things right.

DRAMA IN WARTIME

LONDON (CP).—War has revived amateur drama in Britain. It is figured there are about 4,000 amateur societies, compared with 3,000 before the war.

TWO HELD FOR BANK ROBBERY

Charged With $7,000 Bond Armed Hold-Up in Manitoba—One Juvenile

WINNIPEG, Jan. 12 (CP).—Edward Rattai, of Lydiatt, Man., and a juvenile, have been charged with the $7,000 armed bond robbery at a branch of the Royal Bank of Canada in Beausejour, thirty-five miles east of Winnipeg.

Appearing in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Court at Beausejour late yesterday, they were remanded eight days without plea.

Two youths entered the bank near the close yesterday and at gunpoint locked the manager, William Craik, and three other employees in the vault, and escaped in a horse-drawn sleigh.

Cornered in deep snow, one exchanged a shot with police before he was captured, but no one was injured.

Fifteen minutes before closing time, two youths, unmasked and armed with rifles, entered the bank and one shouted "This is a holdup and no fooling."

He then demanded "all the bonds" in the bank. He forced the manager to bring a bundle from the vault. Both then drove the bank workers at riflepoint into the vault.

They were captured after a thirty-five-minute chase. Meanwhile the bank employees were released from the vault.

MRS. ROSS NAPIER IS BURNS CLUB SPEAKER

An address on the life of Cunningham Graham, the novelist, was given by Mrs. Ross Napier at the monthly meeting of the Burns Club in the Chamber of Commerce Building, last night.

E. M. Whyte, president who presided announced that the annual Burns dinner will be held in the Chamber of Commerce Building on January 25. The toast to the "Immortal Memory" will be given by Rev. Andrew Roddan, of Vancouver.

Entertainment was as follows: Duncan MacBride, Mrs. Slater and Arthur Jackman, vocal solos; Mrs. E. A. Cartwright and Jack Smith piano duet, selections by the Happy Canuck Orchestra with Mrs. "Bertie" as accompanist. The artists were thanked by Neil Pollock.

Vestry Meeting

COLWOOD

J. W. Little was appointed vicar's warden and G. A. Turner was elected people's warden at the annual vestry meeting of St. John's Church, Colwood, on Sunday afternoon.

Rev. G. H. Greenhalgh presided at the meeting and gave the vicar's report. G. A. Turner gave a very gratifying financial statement, and the reports given by St. John's W.A. and the other committees were very satisfactory.

G. A. Turner and Mr. Bailey were elected representatives to the synod with J. W. Little and Mr. Hankin alternating.

LANGFORD

Rev. G. H. Greenhalgh presided at the annual vestry meeting of St. Matthew's Church, Langford, recently held at Legion Hall. Gratifying reports were given by Mr. Greenhalgh and E. Jeffery, people's warden, showing that the financial condition was satisfactory. Other reports were heard from the Women's Guild, Sunday school, the Langford Lake Sunday school, the Altar Guild and the Little Helpers.

H. W. McKenzie was appointed vicar's warden and Mr. Jeffery was re-elected people's warden. The church committee comprised Mrs. H. A. Hincks, Mrs. Jaffery, Mrs. A. P. Bayles, Mrs. V. Franklin, Mrs. P. N. Welch, Mrs. W. A. Walker, Mrs. J. Stuart Yates and Messrs. J. I. Seabrook, F. Tavier and D. B. F. Bullen. Representatives to the synod, J. I. Seabrook and T. Millward, missionary committee, St. Matthew's Women's Guild, and to the ruridecanal conference, Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, Mrs. H. W. McKenzie and the church wardens.

A special vote of thanks was passed to Miss J. Seabrook, the church organist.

THE WAR TODAY

By JOHN COLLINGWOOD READE

ALLIED AIR ACTIVITY DOMINATES THE NEWS

Except for the slow but continuous advance of all the Russian armies in the Mid-Don, the Lower Don, the Kalmyck and the Middle Caucasus, most of the week-end news centred on Allied air activity. The British hammered at Essen. Allied aircraft engaged in a three-day battle with the Japanese off the Papuan coast of New Guinea with startling results. British and American aircraft were exceedingly active in Northwest Africa and Libya. In all fields of operation, Allied ascendancy in the air was notable.

The destruction of Japanese shipping and air power has become an important factor in the Pacific theatre of war. With rash persistency, the enemy continues to expose his ships and his airplanes to the merciless attack of superior Allied air forces based in Australia, New Guinea and the Solomons. No less than eighty-five Japanese fighter planes were destroyed in a three-day battle at the end of last week, while forty-eight more were damaged. Japanese Zero fighters are flimsy in construction and a high proportion of those which sustained damage met with disaster before they got back to their bases.

NOT WORTH THE PRICE

There is no doubt that the Japanese military positions in the Papuan Province of New Guinea and on the Island of Guadalcanal in the Solomons are not worth the appalling price which the enemy has paid to maintain them. And even this dreadful price of ships and aircraft has failed to purchase security for the enemy at either place. A whole Japanese division has been wiped out in New Guinea, and the enemy has been compelled to relinquish his grip on the northeastern coast from whence he might continue to menace Port Moresby. He still retains powerful bases at Lae and Salamaua but these will soon be threatened in their turn as Allied ground forces consolidate their positions in the Buna-Gona sector and obtain reinforcements both by air and water.

The establishment of advanced air bases on the northeast coast of New Guinea will virtually close the Dampier Strait to Japanese shipping and will make the Japanese naval and air establishments at Rabaul and Gasmata on the Island of New Britain subject to continuous and damaging attack. The Japanese have lost scores of ships and more than 800 planes in the Southwest Pacific in the course of a fruitless effort to establish impregnable positions which would serve as a protective bastion for their East Indian empire.

During five of the seven nights last week the Royal Air Force sent powerful bomber formations over Northwestern Germany. The raids did not seem to have been on the scale which was employed early last Summer but the bomb load carried and dropped in the course of the week must have been equivalent to that dropped during one of the massive single raids last June. The resumption of sustained raiding suggests that a new reserve of bomber aircraft is being accumulated in the British Isles following the dispersal of air strength to the Middle East and Northwest Africa, which took place in the late Summer and early Fall.

The comparatively small forces employed however, suggest that some months must elapse before the aircraft available to the Bomber Command and the United States Army air forces are sufficient to permit a return to the "saturation of defences" tactics employed so successfully last year. In the meantime, continued raiding with forces comprising from 150 to 200 aircraft will prevent the enemy from restoring the productive capacity which was destroyed during the mammoth raids, and will hold him down until mass raiding can again be employed to disorganize his war industries.

SLOW DEVELOPMENT

The Northwest African campaigns are still developing very slowly partly on account of the weather and partly because of the great distances which still separate the various elements of the Allied force. General Jacques Le Clerc's Fighting French columns are making steady progress northward from the Fezzan area of Southern Tripolitania toward the Mediterranean coast, mopping up enemy outposts as they go. By now, they are probably less than 300 miles from Tripoli, and General Montgomery will not wish to drive the enemy westward to Tripoli until the Fighting French are within striking distance of the German flank and lines of communication.

It should not be thought, however, that the enemy is being given an easy time with leisure to make whatever dispositions he pleases. The Allied air forces which have been correlated and brought under the control of General Spaatz, are becoming more active than ever, supported by aircraft of the Middle East Command and the Royal Air Force establishment on Malta. Yesterday Flying Fortresses attacked Bizerte in succeeding waves throughout the daylight hours in the heaviest and more sustained air action yet attempted in Tunisia.

The accompanying map of New Guinea locates the Japanese port of Lae and shows the route of the convoy which was proceeding from Gasmata to Lae when Allied aircraft began their attack. For three days the battle raged. Four of the six Japanese transports were sunk and the other two damaged, in addition to the tremendous toll of Japanese aircraft shot down. It is believed that more 2000 Japanese troops were drowned when the transports settled to the bottom.

Canada's Honor Roll

OTTAWA, Jan. 12 (CP).—Three men were reported killed in action, and five previously reported missing were reported killed in action in a Canadian (Active) Army overseas casualty list issued tonight.

A Defence Department spokesman said these men fought in the Battle of Dieppe last August. The spokesman said two men reported missing also took part in the Dieppe engagement and two others reported missing fought at Hongkong which fell to the Japanese in December, 1941.

The list, the 248th of the war, also reported one man who died. His death was not connected with any specific action.

The spokesman said the men missing as a result of the Dieppe attack were Lieut. Eric Lawson Mitchell and Lieut. William Vaughan Mitchell both of Winnipeg and both members of the Manitoba Regiment.

He said the men missing in the Hongkong fighting were Sigmn. James Horvath, of Pine Falls, Man., who was attached to force headquarters, and Pte. Melvin Sinker Dowswell, of Dryden, Ont. of the Manitoba Regiment.

The list brought the unofficial total of Dieppe casualties to: Killed, 438, wounded, 571, missing 695, prisoners; 1,587.

It brought the unofficial total of Hongkong casualties to: Killed in action, 164 missing in action, eighty-four; died of wounds, seventeen; previously wounded and a prisoner of war, now reported missing in action, one.

Following is the list:

KILLED IN ACTION

MANITOBA REGIMENT—Lieut. Hugh James Young, New York, N.Y.

QUEBEC REGIMENT—Rfmn. Joseph Leonard Doyle, Montreal, Cpl. Lorne Rayburn Latimer, Detroit, Mich.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING, NOW REPORTED KILLED IN ACTION

WESTERN ONTARIO REGIMENT—Pte. Felia Edward Matte, Windsor, Ont.

CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT—Pte. Kenneth William Allen, Toronto, Pte. Leslie James Butler, Humberstone, Ont., Pte. Albert George McKinley, New Toronto, Ont., Pte. Larry Rowan, Toronto.

MISSING

FORCE HEADQUARTERS—Sigmn. James Ernest Horvath, Pine Falls, Man.

MANITOBA REGIMENT — Pte. Melvin Sinker Dowswell, Dryden, Ont.

CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT—Lieut. Eric Lawson Mitchell, Winnipeg, Lieut. William Vaughan Mitchell, Winnipeg.

DIED

CANADIAN FORESTRY CORPS—Pte. Carl John Johnson, Oxdrift, Ont.

U.S. MAY ACT IN BIG STRIKE

War Labor Board Issues Ultimatum to United Mine Workers' Officials

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP).—The United States War Labor Board declaring anthracite stocks had fallen to a level endangering prosecution of the war, demanded tonight an immediate end to the strike in hard coal fields.

"Unless this threat to the safety of our nation is immediately terminated," the board said in telegrams to John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, and heads of five companies, "the board will exercise all powers within its jurisdiction to fulfill its obligations to the country."

The statement was regarded as a strong indication that the board would, if necessary, recommend that President Roosevelt take over the Pennsylvania mines in the name of the Government.

The board dispatched the telegram soon after the work stoppage, involving some 20,000 hard coal miners, had formally put under its jurisdiction by certification from Secretary of Labor Perkins that conciliation efforts had fallen down.

The telegram was sent to Lewis, twenty-two secretaries of local unions involved in the work stoppage, and the Glenn Alden Coal Company, Hudson Coal Company, Luzerne Anthracite Company, Susquehanna Collieries Company and Lehigh Valley Coal Company—the companies named in the certification from Miss Perkins.

It said:

"The National War Labor Board unanimously calls upon all striking employees of the anthracite coal industry in Pennsylvania to return to their jobs immediately.

"The board is satisfied that when these men realize the dire consequences of their strike upon the war effort and the well-being of their fellow citizens, they will rise to their patriotic obligations and produce the coal so vitally needed for the protection of the American people and the defeat of the Axis powers.

"This strike is in direct violation of the national policy that there shall be no strikes for the duration of the war. Anthracite coal stockpiles are at a critically low level, endangering the health of our people and the prosecution of the war.

"This strike against the nation at war must be ended at once. Unless this threat to the safety of our nation is immediately terminated, the board will exercise all power within its jurisdiction to fulfill its obligations to the country."

It was the second appeal by the board for resumption of work—telegrams were dispatched yesterday to Lewis and the local union secretaries.

TWO WEEKS OLD

Now fourteen days old the strike has meant a loss of about 30,000 tons a day in anthracite production.

The walkout was not authorized by the United Mine Workers. The strikers are protesting against an increase from $1 to $1.50 a month in union dues and asking a $2 a day increase in wages.

Almost simultaneously with its dispatch of today's telegram, the Labor Board issued one of the strongest pronouncements it has yet made on the subject of strikes. This took the form of an opinion by Wayne L. Morse, public member of the board, in a case involving the United Mine Workers, District 50, and Miles Laboratories Inc. pharmaceutical manufacturers, of Elkhart, Ind.

Morse said that those who challenge the mandate that industrial disputes must be settled by peaceful procedures challenge, in fact the right and duty of our Government in time of war to prosecute the war to victory unhampered in its effort by recalcitrant employers or workers.

"No combination of words, no rationalized alibis, no pleas of provocation and extenuating circumstances can be, will be, or should be accepted by our fighting forces as justifying work stoppages resulting from disputes between employers and employees, or between factions within their ranks."

The case involved the discharge of a union steward with the company contending he was intoxicated and the union contending he was ill. Work was stopped for one week last November. The board directed that the issue of the steward's discharge be taken up through grievance procedure provided for in the company's contract with the union.

STRIKE SETTLED

BELLINGHAM, Jan. 12 (AP).—The management of The Bellingham Herald announced late tonight the settlement of a Typographical Union strike which had closed the daily newspaper since Thursday.

The announcement said the union members voted to return to work tomorrow morning "on the basis of acceptance of the publisher's offer of seventy-five cents a day increased wages with a three-year contract opened for wages and hours every year with an arbitration agreement."

The increase makes the scale $1.20 an hour, for a seven-and-a-half-hour day. The increase is retroactive to December 1, 1942 the date of expiration of the previous contract. The contract is subject to approval of the War Labor Board.

The union had asked for $1 a day increase.

Nurse Reading's thrilling story as a Red Cross nurse on active duty in the Battle of Britain will be given tonight at 8 o'clock in the Royal Bank Building, Fort and Cook Streets.

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FIGHTING FORCES IN GOOD SPIRITS

Canadian Legion Official Reports War Services Overseas Co-Operating in Work

ROBERT MACNICOL

Robert Macnicol, former provincial secretary of the Canadian Legion, who is visiting in Victoria following eighteen months of service in Great Britain as financial manager of the Canadian Legion War Services there, reports the Legion, Y.M.C.A., Salvation Army and Knights of Columbus are working together to do an excellent job of entertaining men of the services.

The troops are in good spirits, he said, and are keenly interested in matters of social security as observed in Great Britain. About 7,000 Canadian overseas have married British girls, he said, and reports few domestic troubles.

Mr. Macnicol, reeve of Saanich from 1924 to 1926, said the people of Great Britain are in good health and will be able to take care of themselves if under attack by Germany.

He arrived in Vancouver in December and will return there in February to resume work, as provincial secretary of the Legion. He is at present making inspections of Canadian Legion service facilities on Vancouver Island.

Mrs. Macnicol, who remained in Vancouver while her husband was overseas, is accompanying him in Victoria.

Obituary

JAMES—The death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital on Monday evening of Robert Fredrick James, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick James (nee Flora Clarke) of 850 Carrie Street. He is survived by his parents, his grandmother, Mrs. H. H. Clarke, Victoria, also uncles and aunts in Victoria and Calgary. Strictly private funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon. Rev. James Hood will officiate. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. Arrangements are with the Thomson Funeral Home.

SMITH—The death occurred yesterday at the family residence West Saanich Road, of Mrs. Lizzie Smith, wife of Henry Smith, aged twenty-six years. She was born in West Saanich and is survived by besides her widower, one son, Simon, and one daughter, Julia. The funeral will be held this morning leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 9.15 o'clock for the Church of the Assumption, Keating, where Requiem Mass will be celebrated at 10. Interment will be made in the Catholic Cemetery, Saanich.

WALKER—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, the death occurred yesterday of Barbara Yvonne Walker at the age of eight years. Born in Calgary, Alta., Barbara Walker moved to this city with her parents two months ago from Kimberley, B.C. She is survived by besides her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, 30 Government Street, one brother Gordon, at home, her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Vallance, Drumheller, Alta. and Mrs. Barbara Walker, in Scotland. Funeral services will be conducted on Thursday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock in the B. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Major Allan McInnes will officiate and interment will take place in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SCHEELEN—The Pontifical High Mass will be recited by Bishop John C. Cody in St. Andrew's Catholic Cathedral on Thursday morning at 10.30 o'clock for Rev. Father Edward M. Scheelen. Following the funeral service, the remains will be taken to the Church of the Assumption, West Saanich Road, where prayers will be held at 12.10 p.m. Interment will be made in the Catholic Cemetery. Sands Mortuary is in charge of arrangements.

DUNCAN — Funeral services for Mrs. Queenie Clare Duncan were held yesterday morning in Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. J. C. Jackson conducted the services. The following acted as pallbearers: F. J. Martin, W. B. George, J. S. Whiting, P. E. Willis, P. Smith and E. Wilderspin. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park.

CORRY — Funeral services for Frederick Charles Corry, who died in Vancouver on Friday, were held yesterday afternoon in Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. E. G. Burges-Browne conducted the services. The following acted as pallbearers: W. E. G. A. and A. L. Corry, N. C. Stewart and H. L. and Paul Smith. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

LA VERGNE—There was a large attendance of friends and relatives including many pioneer residents of Sooke, at McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon for the funeral service for Mrs. Katherina La Vergne. Pastor G. G. Adams officiated. Interment was made in Colwood Burial Park with the following as pallbearers: Ed Shields, S. Hutchison, W. Charters, R. E. Robinson, J. W. Cains and K. W. Cains.

TODD—Dean Spencer H. Elliott will conduct the service for Mrs. Alice Ann Todd today at 2 o'clock in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel. Officers and members of Primrose Lodge No. 32 will conduct their funeral service at the graveside. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

WOODMASS — The funeral of Mrs. Flora Woodmass will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

ORRICK — Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Ann Orrick will be held in the Thomson Funeral Home this afternoon at 3.15 o'clock. Rev. George Biddle will officiate, and interment will be in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

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The brochure contains a key index to locations illustrated also a travel map of British Columbia with a table of mileages and useful information with particular reference to prospective visitors from across the line.

SHREVEPORT, La., Jan. 12 (AP).—A cat-and-dog fight caused the only interruption during the city's first blackout test. Chased by the dog, the cat jumped onto a filling station roof and then down on an electric light cord and illuminated the premises.

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MAXIMUM EFFORT

While money is not of itself the final test of a nation's effort in war, a tentative budget of $109,000,000,000 laid before the United States Congress by President Roosevelt indicates very clearly the scope and weight of the preparations which are proposed by the fighting arsenal of democracy to the south for the fiscal year 1943-44. One hundred thousand millions of the sum is suggested for direct war expenditures, implying a scale of development beyond anything yet seen in the conflict. The will and purpose behind such proposals is evident, and fresh assurance to the cause of the United Nations', together in arms.

If anything were required to corroborate the sincere and abiding purpose behind the United States' entry into the war on the side of the democracies, it would be found here in preparations upon such a scale. This implies a war effort that is without any material restriction or hidden reserve, and upon a basis that will demand sacrifices from every man, woman and child in the great republic to the south of us. Sixteen billions of dollars in additional taxation were proposed in the same terms, including compulsory loans along similar lines to those in force in Canada now.

Not even the United States, with its population of 135,000,000 people, could support such an effort directly from revenue. The explanation offered by President Roosevelt was that half of the sums required would be found by taxation, and the remainder by borrowing, as has been done in this country. But, through bond issues or taxation, Congress was asked to find those sums which would insure a maximum, and a prodigious effort, in the war. Congress has yet to debate the proposals, which are far reaching and which will affect the domestic economy of our neighbor at innumerable points.

At the same time, one is free to admire the spirit in which the representations have been made, and to weigh their affect upon the total course of the war. In this it is plain that the United States of America is putting its heart and its brains into such efforts as will help to materially shorten the world conflict. For while the message to Congress may be debated, altered or even abridged, the size and shape of the vision is there. It is both realistic and vast, and so fraught with purpose that it cannot help but encourage all who are fighting on our side. Perhaps no more important announcement has been received by the United Nations, and all of them, since the year opened. It will mean strength to our right hand, and confusion to our foes. It is a maximum effort in a total war. Looking at our neighbor, one might have expected that. The assurance, however, is both comforting and real.

A LONG STEP FORWARD

Great Britain and the United States of America signed companion treaties with the Chinese Republic this week formally relinquishing their extra-territorial rights and privileges in China. The action was foreshadowed by the intention to do so, which was made plain a few months ago. Now the bargain has been made officially, and publicly sealed in the form of a binding treaty. This is a long step forward toward a peace of amity and international friendships after this war has ended, in a victory for the United Nations' arms.

By acting now, Great Britain and the United States have set out an earnest of their good faith and fair dealing that becomes applicable at once, without waiting for any postwar settlements to mature. In effect, both nations are saying to China that there will one day be a victory to share, and in that victory the Republic of China will arise to fresh strength and renewed importance as an independent, free nation of the world. It is a tribute not only to the valor of Chinese arms, but also a hand-clasp beyond the years into the future, where free nations will deal as friends and equals in a better ordered world.

Japan, whose appeal was to racial prejudice and to the false lure of booty that was to be had by conquest, has been outmatched on the field, and now over-reached in the peace that will one day follow. For in this action, two of the most powerful democracies of the globe are recognizing—while the global conflict is still in dispute—the full sovereignty of China, and the right of that republic to make such dispositions as she will of her lands and ports when world trade has again resumed.

The indirect implications go deeper than that. By reason of China's indomitable spirit, the valor of her men in the field, and her firm and enlightened leadership, Great Britain and the United States are acknowledging a debt that is owed to the Chinese Republic by all who fight on the side of freedom everywhere. At one stroke they are turning a page that closes all that has been done in the past, and opening a new sheet whereon a fairer, brighter record remains to be written in terms of cordiality and goodwill. And what Great Britain does in this respect will, without question, be echoed as sincerely by the British Commonwealth of Nations.

There is, perhaps, no single act which could speak so clearly and so directly at this moment as that taken this week at London and Washington, in association with Chungking. Two great democracies have laid their cards face up on the table, and they are the cards of fair-dealing, honest intention and goodwill. There is good reason already to believe that the action was appreciated; and that the sincerity and determination behind it is both known and understood. For this is the good neighbor policy in its practical application to the world as it stands today, without waiting for the accidents of war to determine any future and nebulous course.

It will remain for Canada to examine its own position in the light of this consummation of international understanding and friendship. While problems there may be to be overcome, if the same fine spirit is preserved there are none that cannot be amicably settled, and with full benefit to both parties to the contract. East or West, the nations of men can understand one another, when they make up their minds to do so. On our part, we must show that the will is there, and the rest will fall into place in due course. For this week saw a very long step forward taken by those who speak for two of the most powerful democracies of the world. In this they both envisioned a free, and a friendly world. It is on that firm base that peace, when it comes, may endure.

A DIFFICULT PROBLEM

In the light of all the circumstances, it is difficult to see what course could have been taken by Canadian universities other than that which they have taken, in regard to the weeding out of male students of military age who were not progressing in their individual studies. Individual hardships will, no doubt, be caused, as indeed they must with any rule that is applied to considerable numbers of human beings. In sum, however, the proceeding is fair, and as such it will be understood.

In these difficult times no organization, and least of all a university, could lay itself open to the suggestion that it was providing a home for slackers; for those whose proper place was in uniform, fighting in defence of this land. Perhaps few of the young men now to be rejected from the universities could be considered slackers, by any means. The majority, in sober fact, are not. Unfortunately they are suffering for the few who took advantage of the situation to avoid service in their country's hour of need.

Each case, we may well believe, rests upon individual circumstances. At the same time there is a point beyond which education fails by reason of the inability of the individual to absorb it. Not all students are of university calibre; and some who are, are sometimes denied by press of circumstances the opportunity of attending our higher institutions of learning. It is much a case of finding the right place for each and every individual, in so far as that can humanly be done.

While Canadian colleges are acting now to suspend the terms of those Canadian students who failed to maintain reasonable progress in their advanced studies, it goes against the grain to see some of their places taken by others who are not citizens of this land, and who cannot, therefore, be called upon to fight for it. This process is reduced to a good deal of a farce when such entrants are supplied with uniforms and military training, after a precedent oath of allegiance has been waived. The public has already made plain what it thinks of that procedure.

Reverting to the individual case of injury among Canadian students whose college years are now to be terminated, no one can safely overlook the fact that in certain instances this hardship will be both real and poignant. It is difficult to say to any young man that his planned education must stop here. Viewed in the light of the common good, however, the case takes on its proper perspective; and many a man who was not a success at college may rise to far greater heights in the defence of his country at war. Viewed so, the order is not a slight, but an opportunity. It is as such that it should be viewed.

CANADA IN THE AIR

Almost since the inception of this conflict, Canadians have taken to the air and have won there some of the highest awards for gallantry that have been shared with an Empire under arms. In recent times, decoration after decoration has come so fast that there has not been time to comment upon the bravery shown in any particular case; and, indeed, to single out one case is somewhat to neglect others as remarkable and worthy of comment.

Both in the ranks of the Royal Air Force and in Canadian squadrons serving overseas, Canadians have now seen action in the air on almost every part of every front. The same high quality of service has been demonstrated individually everywhere. It is the story of keen, aggressive fighters, and of cool-headed and determined young men, who have been trained to their work and are capable of excelling at it.

Canadians flew with the Royal Air Force squadrons who served in the retreat through the Lowlands and France. Canadians were in the Dunkerque air guard, that wall in the sky which baffled a raging enemy. Canadian airmen fought in the defence of London, and in the Battle of Britain at its peak. They were present over Libya and Egypt, and far away in Ceylon. They have crossed the Alps into Italy, and harried the enemy as far into Germany as its eastern provinces. More recently, Canadians have co-operated with our Allies in long-range raids over the Pacific to Kiska Harbor, and elsewhere in the Aleutian chain.

The three years that have passed and the many fronts on which experience has been obtained, all serve to emphasize the same report, and that is that wherever they have been in operation, Canadian airmen have given a first rate account of themselves. They have measured up to the service that they represent, and to its untarnished motto. This service, moreover, has been contributed in the best of company, among the world's most successful fighting men in the air.

Sometimes this service has been more or less in the eye of the public, on the actual battlefronts, where scores of decorations and mentions in dispatches have been won. At other times the same brand of service has been given far out of sight, and perhaps out of mind, in Atlantic convoys, in Pacific patrols, in special missions about which the world may not hear until the conflict is over. There has been something sturdy, substantial and real about this service, one that measures up to Canada, and while we may not even in our pride say so often, there is room to say it once. In their heart of hearts, all people in this Dominion have followed this service, and know what it means. Canada has done well in the air.

BLOOD BANKS SUCCEED

One of the great successes in medicine in this war has been the use made of human blood in plasma banks. These reserves have been collected very widely from all nations contributing to our side of the conflict, and have been brought into use on the battlefields, where many lives have been saved. The force behind this movement lies in its continuity, for this is a service that must be kept up. In so far as individuals are able, each should contribute to the plasma banks, for these are reserves that will prove vital in time of need. In Victoria, both hospitals and also some auxiliary agencies have sponsored blood banks, and are doing very fine work in that connection. This effort must not be allowed to flag, because its continuity is of first importance. Most people can be blood donors if they so choose.

We love a girl for very different qualities than understanding. We love her for her beauty, her youth, her mirth, her confidingness, her character, with its faults, caprices and God knows what other inexpressible charms, but we do not love her understanding.—Goethe.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

In all the wide chapter on human relations what is there to compare with a friendly smile. A smile, bless you, can move mountains. It can set weary, disappointed people going again like an eight-day clock on its first day. It can warm hearts that have known little or no light of any kind in them for more years than a buzz-saw has teeth. A smile, moreover, is the proper coinage of mankind; that which will pass current everywhere, and without question. Yet one would think, you know, that, walking in the city streets, people had been actually forbidden to smile.

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This column knows of no such by-law. If the City of Victoria ever legislates upon the point, may it be entirely the other way; may it demand that more people smile, and more frequently. For a smile is a very slight gift to bestow upon a fellow human being; one which, once given, replaces itself instantly. Seldom, indeed, is a smile not returned immediately, and with interest; and in all such cases something has gone wrong with the receiving set inevitably. For some people—and this is the direst criticism on life—have lost the art entirely.

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It was not so with a sailor who boarded a city street car yesterday. The car was a little crowded, and so we did not really see him at first. But we could, and did, watch the progress of his smile down that street car. It flew from face to face, like sunshine breaking out after rain. Surrounded by an aurora of smiles, the sailor penetrated to the back of the car and became identifiable. He had a fine, open face. It smiled all over, everywhere at once. This department concluded that the man was happy—and, yes, it smiled back at him. Such is the contagion of a smile, even that on the face of a total stranger.

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If a stranger can do that to the human heart, even for one instant, how much more can be done among friends? There is no human means of telling. For the smile of a friend can be, and is, stored in the heart, and carried, perhaps, for a lifetime. Not, you will understand, the grin of a pet-show cat; but a real smile, one with friendship behind it. I challenge you to recall many faces—now far removed from you by time or place—that your memory does not depict smiling. Is there even one?

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There is another reason why a smile, and not a grin, is of more than ordinary importance on city streets at the present time. To an extent greater than realized this city is now host to hundreds of strangers. In uniform and out of it, these men and women come from all corners of Canada, and have not, perhaps, been here before. Have you, personally, tried to go through a day in a distant town where all were strangers to you? You should try it some time. It is an experience that must be endured to be understood. Yet one friendly, honest smile will redeem an entire city, make of it a human, homely place.

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There is some danger in advising people to smile, when for personal reasons they may not feel like doing so. That is the challenge of the age in which we live. For what profit is there in smiling when everybody smiles? The feat is to smile, and to put some warmth into it, when nobody smiles, and when whole streets full of people look like aldermen returning from an unexpected defeat at the polls. So smile, and let the eyebrows raise where they may. You will be serving your country, your city, and most directly of all, yourself. Back of each smile there is a fairy that dances into somebody's heart!

Coupons Valid Today

Tea or coffee—Nos 1 to 10.
Sugar—Nos 1 to 10.
Butter—Nos 3 and 4 (expiry date January 17).

Sunrise and Sunset

The dim-out period will commence at 6:12 tonight and continue until 8:31 Thursday morning.

JANUARY

Times of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1943.
(Add one hour for Pacific Daylight time.)

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	8 06	4 20	17	7 59	4 44
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3	8 06	4 20	19	7 59	4 41
4	8 06	4 21	20	7 57	4 42
5	8 05	4 22	21	7 56	4 43
6	8 05	4 23	22	7 55	4 45
7	8 05	4 24	23	7 54	4 47
8	8 05	4 26	24	7 53	4 52
9	8 04	4 27	25	7 52	[illegible]
10	8 04	4 28	26	7 51	5 01
11	8 03	4 30	27	7 50	5 03
12	8 02	4 31	28	7 48	5 05
13	8 02	4 32	29	7 46	5 06
14	8 01	4 34	30	7 46	5 08
15	8 01	4 35	31	7 43	5 09
16	8 00	4 36			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

"MARCH TO BERLIN" DRIVE TO ENCOURAGE SALE OF WAR STAMPS

The National War Finance Committee announces that during the first week of February the food industries across Canada will hold a national drive under the title, "March to Berlin," to encourage and foster the sale of War Savings Stamps among all the people throughout the country. The scope will be tremendous, as the food industries cover grocery and fruit houses, meat packers, dairies, bakers, biscuit manufacturers, tobacconists and beverage companies, and should stimulate a tremendous nation-wide interest in the sale of stamps.

A local meeting was held recently at the offices of Kelly Douglas & Co., Ltd., when thirty wholesale firms were represented. J. W. Robinson, of Vancouver, the provincial chairman for the "March to Berlin" drive, addressed the meeting, outlining the purposes of the drive and advising that an organization had been set up in British Columbia to handle the 1,300 outlets for food products within the province.

An executive committee was formed for the Victoria district to handle the drive as follows: J. Burridge, regional director; J. R. Edwards, grocery houses, fruit houses, meat packers; N. Grant, dairies, bakers; P. Waring, paper houses, biscuit manufacturers; I. L. Erb, tobacconists, beverage companies.

Observation Car

By G. B.

Canned and bottled soups, fruit and vegetable juices and virtually all frozen, canned and dried vegetables are to be rationed in the United States next month to make the most effective use of food in winning the war, and to make sure what is left over for civilians is fairly divided among all. The government is printing 143,000,000 war ration books containing 27,840,000,000 stamps. Each book will contain ninety-six blue stamps for canned goods, and ninety-six stamps for buying meat. Stamps will be valid under a point system similar to that in use in England. Jams, jellies, olives, pickles and preserves will not be rationed at the start. It is estimated that every civilian will is estimated that every civilian will not be rationed at the start. It is estimated that every civilian will be able to purchase thirty-three pounds of canned goods up to the end of next December. Books will be handed out by 5,500 local ration boards. . . . From a reader at the Hotel Ritz: "Victoria boulevards are a mass of weeds. Would it not be a good idea to plough them up and let residents on the streets grow potatoes and thereby produce food and clean up the weeds? Enough potatoes could be grown to supply the city, or almost enough, and when the war was over there would be better soil in which to plant grass. Did you ever see the job the street sweeper does? It picks up the dirt and deposits it in little piles along the streets. A little later a motorcycle with a box comes along and picks up the larger piles and of course leaves the small ones for the wind to blow around and throw into people's eyes." . . . Bill, the Broad Street barber, was being taunted by Ben about his meek and mild attitude. "I always run things around my place," Bill boasted. "You certainly do," the boss interjected. "You run the washing machine, lawn mower, vacuum cleaner and all the errands."

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1943.

Date	Time H.M	Ht Ft	Time H.M	Ht Ft	Time H.M	Ht Ft	Time H.M	Ht Ft
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5	6 30	8 3	7 14	8 0	12 05	10 1	20 10	1 6
6	5 57	6 5	8 12	8 0	12 06	10 1	21 07	6 6
7	6 28	8 7	8 08	8 0	13 50	8 8	21 50	8 8
8	6 55	8 8	10 02	7 8	14 30	9 8	22 35	1 0
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12	0 60	3 7	8 24	8 0	14 54	5 8	19 34	8 8
13	1 30	4 8	8 56	8 0	18 15	6 0	22 18	8 0
14	3 08	6 0	9 30	6 0	17 17	6 3		
15			10 05	8 0	17 58	3 0		
16			10 30	8 0	18 30	3 0		
17	4 35	5 0	3 51	7 8	11 08	8 0	19 14	2 8
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28	0 40	6 9	8 01	0 0	14 57	5 2	20 57	9 1
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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill at the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 13, 1918)

Awarded Highest Decoration—The heroic deeds of Canadians in the recent fighting on the Western Front were described during the King's award of Victoria Crosses to seven Canadians out of eighteen men decorated today. Major George R. Pearkes, of Mount Tolmie, Victoria, was awarded the Victoria Cross for the daring and courage he exhibited during the advance at Passchendaele.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 13, 1893)

A Chance for the Cinder Path—The Victoria Turf Club offer to build a quarter-mile regulation bicycle track within their oval at Mount Tolmie, providing the bicycle club guarantee 100 members. A meeting of the Island Wanderers will be called at an early date to consider the proposition, which is very favorably entertained by individual members.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 13, 1868)

From the East Coast—The steamer Sir James Douglas arrived from the East Coast yesterday. Capt. Clark reports Cowichan Bay so obstructed with ice that he found it impossible to approach within a mile of the settlement, and freight for Cowichan was landed at Maple Bay. The cold has been intense along the coast and at Nanaimo. The ships Shooting Star and Fanny are loading with coal at Nanaimo, and the ship Oliver Coutts has sailed with a full cargo.

ROMAN IN THE GLOAMIN' — Courtesy Montreal Gazette.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

VETERANS APPRECIATED

Sir,—It was with great interest I read an article in the Sunday Colonist entitled "Veterans Guard of Canada," and to know there are some people who really appreciate what the Veteran is doing in this war. Some of us have heard him very lightly spoken of. In fact, I myself heard the question asked at a ceremony in which the Vets had taken part. "What do the Veterans Guard duties consist of?" and very much to my disgust and others around me—we heard the answer given in a very off-handed manner: "Oh, they just guard a few pipe lines somewhere."

On the other hand, where did your correspondent get the information he quotes, namely, "Where possible, the policy of the Veterans is to place each man as near his home as possible so that he may enjoy his leave with his family." Is Trail near home, or are other places farther off in Alberta to be classed as near home? Fellows from Saskatchewan are out here on the Coast, and we know that lots of the Alberta men would much rather be back in their own territory the same as our men would rather be back here. Apart from the expense of coming home on leave, and the very poor accommodation at such times, why should elderly men have to live in such changes of climate, not to say anything of their having to live sometimes in tents in bitterly cold weather?

If a good reason can be given for Island men going to the Prairies and the Prairie men being sent out here, I for one would be glad to hear of it.

MRS. J. W. LAKE.

121 Menzies Street, Victoria, B.C., January 11, 1943.

WOMEN ON LAND

Sir,—Here in Canada the slow machinery of food rationing is gradually getting under way, the public as a whole realizes the necessity for the curtailment of consumption of certain articles of food and is accepting the situation, but the increased need for greater farm production coupled with the farm labor shortage, is a matter which has not yet received serious public attention in the province of British Columbia.

The needs of the fighting forces, shipbuilding and munition plants in manpower and material have rightly been considered of paramount importance. Agriculture has been left to shift for itself to a large extent. Handicapped as they have always been by the inability to pay large wages, and long hours of arduous work for small returns, farmers are finding themselves in a desperate position today. It seems now that there is no reserve of manpower on which they can rely, in spite of the increasing demand for farm produce which we are told must be met, the prospect seems to be exactly the opposite, a decrease in farm produce, less crops, less dairy products, etc.

The town dweller, who has been accustomed to taking his sustenance for granted without considering too much from whence it comes, is due for a rude awakening one of these days. Not only will it be necessary for him to pay for what he eats, but also to help produce it.

One of the solutions in this problem lies in the far greater employment of women on the land. Although there are isolated cases throughout the province where women have been able to render invaluable service, no real effort has yet been made to make available all the help that women can bring in this emergency.

The Women's Land Service Corps in the Cowichan district has been formed with this object in view. The response has been good, mainly in the rural areas where the need has been best understood, and the corps now numbers close on a hundred members, who have stated their willingness to work either part or whole time to help farm production.

This is only a minute beginning, but in the absence of a Provincial or Dominion organization and the urgency of the crisis, we feel that something is being accomplished.

It would be very interesting to know what steps are being taken, if any, in other districts to tackle this problem which must be faced? Now is the time to act. The farmers are planning now on what crops to plant and how many. Soon the rush of Spring work will be here.

The Women's Institutes of British Columbia are pressing for the creation of such a women's land army. We sincerely wish them every success. In the meantime we are doing what we can. Anyone considering setting up a land service corps in their district is cordially invited to write to me and I will be only too glad to send them details and information with regard to our organization here, or to give them any assistance possible.

(MRS.) T. H. KINGSCOTE,
Organizer, Women's Land Service Corps, Cowichan District.
"Wilcuma," R.R. 1, Cobble Hill, B.C.

DIRECTION NEEDED

Sir,—There have appeared in the columns of The Daily Colonist several letters and short paragraphs anent the lethargy of civilians in purchasing gas masks and adjuring them "to haste and buy while yet ye may." There are questions which arise, however, in the civilian mind and require an answer.

The protection of the civil population is a Government responsibility. If it is considered necessary that civilians in certain vulnerable areas should be equipped with gas masks, then a clear-cut statement and order to this effect should be made by those responsible and an issue of gas masks made to those living within these areas. Either gas masks are vital to civilian protection in these areas or they are not, this week policy of hawking these articles by crying like the old-time huckster, "Who'll buy a nice gas mask, only $1.25, will make a nice souvenir, who'll buy, hurry, hurry, hurry!" is one that defeats itself and leads civilians to say there is no danger or the Government would concern itself actively with this matter.

MRS. I. BELL-IRVING.

2370 Cookman Street, Oak Bay, January 8, 1943.

QUESTIONS NEED

Sir,—In our country, being a democracy and being Canadian, which means having a tremendous inferiority complex in our ability to judge political matters, we hesitate to question our Government in wartime about things which we privately have doubts. Fortunately for us as well as themselves the British people have no such hesitancy and it was their direct action which saved England.

In the matter of the dim-out in Victoria I have met many people who soberly question the necessity of it but who hesitate to make public their doubts for fear they may be obstructing the war effort or for fear they may be considered wanting in willingness to sacrifice. I yield to no one in readiness to help but it seems to me it is time some things are explained.

If it is necessary why are the two shipyards lighted up like Christmas trees, which to my mind nullifies all or nearly all the effects of the dim-out? If it is a military necessity why has not Vancouver, whose glow is visible many miles to sea, not been dimmed-out and why have they secured a further postponement until February? Victoria is only seventy-eight miles from Vancouver. Why are cars driving in Seattle with their headlights full on and their street lights very poorly dimmed out? Hasn't Mr. Mainwaring rather a nerve to reprimand Victoria on the unsupported say so of a neighboring municipality when Vancouver is not dimmed-out in the two darkest months of the year?

To all who agree that the question should be more fully gone into I would say: Do something about it. Remember, we can blackout if we are warned of imminent danger, which is the only effective protection we have. If it is necessary I am all for it, but I would like to be shown.

M. P. PAINE.

Post Warden Sector "C," Metropolitan Area, Victoria, 3363 Glasgow Street, Victoria, B.C.

A PROPOSAL

Sir,—In the various letters and editorials on the subject of motor licence fees which have appeared in your paper, the concensus of opinion is that these are much too high for the returns obtained, with this I am in entire agreement, but I think it is extremely doubtful if the Government will see their way to reduce them, and I should like to suggest that it might be possible for the powers-that-be to allow us to buy our licences month by month, so that when our gas or tires gave out we should not have to pay fees for the unexpired portion of the year, which would be the case under the present system.

JOHN G. D. KNIGHT.

R.R. 4, Victoria, B.C., January 11, 1943.

FOR VEGETARIANS

Sir,—In Great Britain, last time, vegetarians were permitted extra rations of foods to which their conscience or compassion or taste had accustomed them, and as everyone had to deal at the stores they first chose no cheating was possible even if it had been likely. This time the papers state they are also allowed extras in various foods, paying for these with coupons for the meat, bacon, lard, etc., alien to them—a simple precaution against unlikely grabbers. These concessions cost the applicant nothing. A tiny certificate pasted in ration books does the trick. Here in Canada a vegetarian applicant for similar concessions such as extra sugar and butter has to obtain a doctor's permission! What legitimate reason could possibly be offered for this? Vegetarians are not invalids! Few, indeed, among them ever need any doctor! Their habits are dictated by conscience, compassion, taste, or all three.

It is impossible now to buy currants, raisins, dates, sultanas, prunes, figs, honey, syrups, sago, rice, tapioca, canned vegetables, canned fruits, canned fish and several other essential foods. Cheese is exactly 100 per cent up, fresh vegetables (when procurable) even more, potatoes almost off the market and in some districts eggs also.

What on earth is the vegetarian to eat if, for reasons recognized by thousands of sane authorities, he will not or cannot "make his body into a cemetery," as a famous English doctor described meat eating?

D. DAVIS KYNNERSLEY.

Duncan, January 10, 1943.

A.R.P. Activities

District No. 3—At a meeting in Burnside School on Monday wardens were given an instructive lecture on war gases by O. A. A. Hebden. A course of lectures on civilian protection subjects has been arranged by Inspector Bishop to take place every Monday at 8 p.m. in the Burnside School until February 22. Addresses will be given by a member of the fire department, Inspector R. Peachey, O. M. Patterson, Inspector A. H. Bishop and S. H. E. Goult, in the order named. All residents of the district bounded by Hillside Avenue, Douglas Street, Tolmie Avenue, Burnside and Harriet Roads are invited to attend these lectures.

Saanich District 2—Tonight at 8 o'clock the monthly meeting of Post "D" will be held at Mr. Walton's, Richmond Road.

Destroyer Fought Against Big Odds

First of Swift New Type of U.S. Battlecraft Went To Her Finish in No-Quarter Duel With Japanese Ships

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12 (AP).—At the height of a violent sea battle in the Solomons, the huge gray hulk of a Japanese battleship came slashing through the darkness, her engines driving her at a speed of close to twenty-five knots. In her path was the audacious U.S.S. Laffey, the first of a swift new series of destroyers built by the United States.

The captain of the Laffey, Lt.-Cmdr. W. E. Hank, of Norfolk, Va., and her crew, were set for a kill that night. A few moments before they had silenced the guns of a Japanese cruiser. But this was bigger game.

The report of the Twelfth United States Naval District told today of the sea epic, of the battle that raged November 12 and 13.

The Laffey rocketed straight at the vast shape of the Japanese battlewagon, her engines racing at emergency full. To the crew of the destroyer it must have appeared that Commander Hank was hurling his vessel at the enemy battleship in a head-on suicide thrust. But he had other plans—plans that had to be true to the last decimal.

SHIPS MOVING FAST

When the range was right Commander Hank let go with a salvo of torpedoes. But the Laffey was moving almost as fast as the torpedoes. And it was clear that with both ships heading at full speed for the same square yard of ocean, the destroyer was going to be there first. But by how much? Every man held his breath.

The navy report said, "As the bows crossed, an alert Japanese on the forward deck could have tossed a hand grenade onto the deck of the destroyer." The margin was just over ten feet. But the racing Laffey got clear in time. "It appearing that two of the torpedoes hit the battleship.

And then, as a parting insult, the Laffey's four five-inch guns were turned on the battleship's massive superstructure, focused on the bridge.

The bridge appeared literally to pulverize and blow away. "It was shot completely off the ship," the navy stated.

The battleship started blazing away with secondary guns—she couldn't depress her larger batteries far enough—as the Laffey widened the range. Then the little destroyer found herself in deeper trouble. She had separated from her companion ships and was surrounded by the enemy. There was a battleship on her stern, a second on her port beam, and two large Japanese destroyers on the port bow.

The Laffey and the two Japanese destroyers opened fire simultaneously. The Laffey put one Japanese out of action and left her burning briskly. But the other put a torpedo into the United States ship and got a fair hit on the Laffey's deck.

POINT-BLANK RANGE

The Laffey still had three of her five-inch guns working and turned them on the remaining Japanese destroyer in a no-quarter duel at point blank range. Damage to both sides was tremendous. One after another the Laffey's guns were silenced. Finally she was down to a single big gun. But she kept on fighting. The Japanese destroyer tried to creep away. But she exploded and sank.

The Laffey was left alone on the darkened sea. All her guns were silenced and a bad fire out of control.

The wounded men were put on life rafts, the others in life jackets. Commander Hank gave orders to abandon ship.

He and three other officers were on deck forward. A medical officer was bringing up the last wounded man from sick bay when a violent explosion ripped the Laffey apart. She sank immediately.

CAPTAIN GIVEN HIGHEST AWARD

Commander of Destroyer Force Decorated With Victoria Cross for Valor

LONDON, Jan. 12 (CP).—A Victoria Cross, the Empire's highest award "for valour," was awarded today to Capt. Robert St. Vincent Sherbrooke, commander of the British destroyer force, which fought off a superior German naval detachment while protecting an important convoy to Russia.

The citation disclosed for the first time that Capt. Sherbrooke was wounded in the engagement. It said "Capt. Sherbrooke was seriously wounded in the face and temporarily lost the use of one eye.

"Nevertheless, he continued to direct the ships under his command until further hits in his own ship compelled him to disengage, but not until he was satisfied that the next senior officer had assumed control."

A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty, paying tribute to Capt. Sherbrooke, said: "There have been few periods in our history when our little ships have been better led or better work done."

The Admiralty announced last Friday that, thanks to the gallant action of the destroyer force, the entire convoy of merchant ships reached Russian ports without loss or damage. The action took place December 31.

The British destroyer Achates was lost in the engagement, and Capt. Sherbrooke's ship, the destroyer Onslow, was damaged. One German destroyer was sunk, and another ship, possibly a cruiser, hit.

SCHOOL COMMANDER

WINNIPEG, Jan. 12 (CP).—Wing Commander W. A. Murray, of Vancouver, has been posted from R.C.A.F. headquarters, Ottawa, to be commanding officer of No. 1 Central Navigation School at Rivers, Man., the R.C.A.F. announced here today. Wing Commander Murray succeeds Group Captain A. Lewis, who will take command of a general reconnaissance school in Eastern Canada.

Spending Furlough At His Home

LEADING STOKER F. WILLIAMS

SON of F. Williams, James Bay, who has arrived at home on furlough from the East Coast. He has been on convoy duty aboard a Canadian destroyer in the North Atlantic for some time. He attended Victoria West School and joined the navy in 1940. Married recently, he brought his wife with him. The young couple intend to make their home here.

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Awarded the Distinguished Flying Medal

Pilot Officer W. J. Maitland, D.F.M., of Vancouver, outside Buckingham Palace after receiving his Distinguished Flying Medal from the King at a recent investiture. With him is seen W. A. McAdam, Agent-General for British Columbia, and Mrs. McAdam. Pilot Officer Maitland is the son of Hon. R. L. Maitland, K.C., M.P.P., Attorney-General for British Columbia, and Mrs. Maitland.

VICTORIA ENGINEERS NAME NEW OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the Victoria Branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada held in Spencer's dining-room yesterday the following slate of officers was elected for the year 1943:

Chairman, K. Reid; vice-chairman, A. L. Ford; secretary-treasurer, R. Bowering; executive, Col. H. L. Sherwood and A. N. Anderson (two-year term), F. C. Green and J. H. Blake (one-year term). Ex-officio—Vice-president, A. L. Carruthers; councillor, E. W. Izard; past chairman, A. S. G. Musgrave.

Hornet Shot Down Large Number of Japanese Planes

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 12 (AP).—Gunners aboard the aircraft carrier Hornet shot down "approximately fifty-nine of the sixty-four Japanese planes" that attacked her before the order was given to abandon ship, members of her crew said here today.

Two shattered enemy planes crashed on her decks the seamen said in statements released by the Fourth United States Naval District.

One exploded on the flight deck near the bridge, "starting a furious fire," and the other dived under the flight deck into a row of officers' staterooms. Its controls shot away as it attempted to swerve after launching a torpedo.

The Hornet was identified by the navy yesterday as the carrier previously announced as lost in the Battle of the Santa Cruz Islands last October 26.

THREE AIRMEN KILLED

WINNIPEG, Jan. 12 (CP).—F.O. R. S. Thorpe, of Vancouver, was one of three airmen killed late yesterday when their Crane aircraft from No. 10 Service Flying Training School at Dauphin, Man., crashed near Ashville during an instrument flying test, R.C.A.F. No. 2 Training Command announced today.

P.O. Thorpe was the pilot of the plane, other occupants of which were L.A.C. O. E. Dunlop, of Starbuck, Man., and L.A.C. M. S. Dewar, of Hoosier, Sask., both students. P.O. Thorpe's next of kin is Mrs. H. P. Thorpe, of 3108 West 27th Avenue, Vancouver.

MAIL AND SHIPS

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily at 1:30 p.m. for Vancouver. Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily at 3:45 a.m. from Vancouver. Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily at midnight for Vancouver. Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will arrive Victoria daily at 7 a.m. from Vancouver. Saturdays only there will be a special sailing from Victoria for Vancouver at 1:30 p.m. Saturdays only a special sailing will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver at 3:45 p.m. Sundays only there will be a special sailing from Victoria for Vancouver at 4 p.m. Sundays only a special sailing will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver at 3:45 p.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4:30 p.m. Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 12:35 p.m. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 8:45 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 8:45 p.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria for Port Angeles daily at 6:45 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8:45 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay for Fulford Harbor daily except Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday at 8:15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m., 7 p.m., 8 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood daily at 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 6:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine or Ss. Princess Victoria will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturdays and Sundays at 7:30 a.m. and 6:45 p.m. Saturdays only, leave Nanaimo at 7:30 a.m., 3:45 p.m. and 6:15 p.m.; Sundays only, leave Nanaimo at 3:45 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER —Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 5:30 p.m. Mondays.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Ms. Atrevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesday), at 9:30 a.m. for Gabriola.

Canadian Airmen Win Decorations On Duty Flights

LONDON, Jan. 12 (CP).—Three awards to Canadian airmen were announced today in recognition of gallantry in flights against the enemy.

The awards: D.F.C., Pilot Officer Edwin Amos Paulton, of Windsor, Ont.; D.F.M., Flt. Sgt. William Walter Bigoray, of Redwater, Alta.; D.F.M., Flt. Sgt. Earle M. Warren, of Regina.

The citation for Paulton and Bigoray said, without giving details, that they "displayed gallantry, fortitude and devotion to duty in exceptionally hazardous circumstances."

Warren, mid-upper gunner in a bomber, although seriously wounded by fire from two Nazi fighters while attacking a target in Germany last December shot down one of the fighters in flames. On the return flight more damage was inflicted on Warren's aircraft, but the enemy plane attacking it was beaten off, the Air Ministry said.

ON WAY TO VANCOUVER

EDMONTON, Jan. 12 (CP).—Postmaster General William P. Mulock, of Ottawa, who conferred here with postal authorities and inspected Edmonton's postoffice, left today by train for Vancouver. He was accompanied by Colonel E. J. Underwood, chief superintendent of postal services.

MERCHANT SHIP SUNK

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP).—The United States Navy reported today that a small British merchant vessel was torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine early in December in the Atlantic off the north coast of South America. Survivors have landed at Miami, Fla.

The navy also announced survivors had been landed in New York from a medium-sized United States merchant vessel, which was torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine late in November in the Indian Ocean.

On Periodic Visit To Victoria

G. BRUCE BURPEE

GENERAL passenger agent for Canadian Pacific Railway at Vancouver, who was in the city yesterday. While here he conferred with R. J. Burland, general agent, Captain R. W. McMurray, manager of the B.C. Coast Service, and J. A. Kennedy, superintendent of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway. He continued to Seattle last evening. Mr. Burpee stated that travel is keeping everybody connected with his company busy, but was being handled in a satisfactory manner. It had been a bit difficult at times during the holidays to find space for everyone, he said, but with near normal conditions prevailing again, boats and trains should be able to deal with all the traffic comfortably.

R.C.A.F. Casualties

OTTAWA, Jan. 12.—Nine men were reported killed on active service in Canada and one killed on active service overseas by the R.C.A.F. in its 470th casualty list of the war issued tonight.

Three British Columbia airmen were on the list, two from Vancouver and one from Victoria. They were, overseas, killed on active service, Sgt. Gilmour Innis Morrison, R110110, A. B. Morrison (father) 4776 Fourth Ave., West Vancouver. Missing believed killed during air operations Sgt. Francis Edward King, R106627, P. E. King (father) 1590 66th Ave. West, Vancouver. Canada previously reported seriously ill, now reported dangerously ill, AC2 Arthur Walker Lees, R189115, Mrs. H. A. Lees (mother) 2608 Richmond Ave., Victoria. Following is the latest list of casualties:

Overseas, killed on active service, P.O. Wightman Miles Harris, Camden, Ark. Died as a result of injuries sustained on active service, P.O. Thomas Harold O'Neil, Hamilton. Killed in automobile accident, P.O. Lloyd George Burke, Whitevale, Ont. Missing believed killed during air operations, P.O. Joseph Allen William Withers, Toronto; Sgt. Douglas Seamen Cameron, Iroquois Falls, Ont.; Sgt. Raymond Arthur Carr, Toronto; Sgt. George Ernest Walker, Outremont, Que.

Missing after air operations, Flt. Sgt. Joseph Cecil Swarbrick, Montreal; Sgt. Albert Morse Borden Johnson, Blackville, N.B.; Sgt. Athol Malver William McCrea, Toronto; Sgt. Eugene Simbalist, Hilda, Alta. Prisoner of war, Sgt. Anthony Fijal, Middlechurch, Man. Previously reported missing believed killed, now for official purposes presumed dead, Sgt. Thomas Baillie, Stratford, Ont. Previously reported missing, now for official purposes presumed dead, Flt. Lt. Thomas Willcox Allen, Statesville, N.C.; Flt. Lt. John Livingston Hopkins Elliott, Wolfeles, Hawick, Scotland; P.O. Edward William Gillespie, Kansas City, Mo.; Flt. Sgt. Leonard Douglas Jackson, Saint John, N.B.; Sgt. Harold Alexander Brown, Chatham, Ont.; Sgt. Robert Brown Goodman, Meaford, Ont. Dangerously ill as a result of injuries sustained on active service, Cpl. Charles Alexander Cowie, Winnipeg. Dangerously ill, Cpl. Gerhard Bock, Sarnia, Ont.

Canada, killed on active service, P.O. John Caskie Hemilton, P.O. Phillip Duncan Corlett, Liverpool; Flt. Sgt. Robert Prentice, Toronto; Cpl. Kenneth Elgin Nicholson, St. Thomas, Ont.; L.A.C. William Vincent Edmondson, Whitehaven, Eng.; L.A.C. Lester Charles Jones, Alliance, Neb.; L.A.C. Alfred Leder, London, NW10, Eng.; L.A.C. David Alexander McAuley, Balleygalley Head, Antrim County, Northern Ireland; L.A.C. Richard Berton Steelman, Hammond, Ind. (Caskie, Jones and Steelman were killed January 8 when their plane crashed into a hillside near Crieff, Ont., in Bullinch Township.)

Previously reported seriously ill now reported to have died from natural causes, L.A.C. William Henry Dyason, London, Eng. Seriously injured on active service, L.A.C. Ronald Clifford Collins, Aylmer, Que. Dangerously ill as a result of injuries sustained on active service, L.A.C. C. B. Rees, London, Eng. Seriously ill as a result of injuries sustained on active service, P.O. John Eugene Whitehead, London, Eng. Seriously ill, Sgt. Ronald William May, Northern Ireland. L.A.C. William Powell, Heston, Middlesex, Eng.

MISSING IN ACTION

WATERLOO, Ia., Jan. 12 (AP).—The five Sullivan brothers, who enlisted in the United States Navy together shortly after Pearl Harbor intent on avenging a pal killed in the sneak attack, are missing in action, the navy informed their parents today.

The brothers served on the cruiser Juneau, which a navy communique last night disclosed was lost in battle around the Solomon Islands during November. The brothers were George T., twenty-nine, Francis H., twenty-six, Joseph E., twenty-three, Madison A., twenty-two, and Albert L., twenty.

PROMOTED TO HIGHER POST

N. B. Walton Named Executive Vice-President of Canadian National

MONTREAL, Jan. 12.—Norman B. Walton has been promoted executive vice-president of the Canadian National Railways, according to an announcement issued today by R. C. Vaughan, chairman and president of the system. The appointment has been approved by the board of directors and is effective immediately.

Mr. Walton was vice-president of operation, maintenance and construction prior to this new appointment and he will continue to exercise jurisdiction over this important department, and will perform such duties as the president may from time to time delegate to him.

The organization under the authority of Mr. Walton includes all the forces in Canada and the United States directly concerned with the actual operation of all trains, including dispatchers, engine crews, trainmen and the thousands of men who control signals and work at terminals and in yards.

Other large bodies of men under Mr. Walton's jurisdiction are those who maintain the right-of-way, the craftsmen employed in the motive power and car shops, and those engaged in construction work. He also has charge of the company's shipbuilding operations.

Mr. Walton, a native of Palmerston, Ont., began his railway experience in 1900 at Toronto, where he joined the Grand Trunk Railway as a clerk and stenographer, and in succeeding years moved through various positions which provided him with a wide knowledge of operating and traffic conditions and additional experience gained at the telegraph key.

Big Salvage Job Carried Out at East Coast Port

HALIFAX, Jan. 12 (CP).—Described as one of the biggest salvage jobs of its kind ever undertaken in Canada, a freighter has been lifted from the floor of the harbor here, and is now being made seaworthy again in a Halifax shipyard.

In a case that was similar to the capsizing of the Normandie at her New York pier in everything but the size of the ships, the freighter, jammed with foodstuffs for Britain, burned and sank at her pier here February 7, 1942.

The Foundation Maritime Limited, raised the scarred freighter. It took five months of work before the rusty and blackened prow of the ship jutted out of the water, and it was another two months before the freighter had been repaired sufficiently to be towed to the shipyard.

One life was lost in the raising of the freighter. A workman cutting into the hold was overcome by gas fumes escaping from the burned and water-logged vegetable cargo.

SALE OF WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES STEADY

Sales of War Savings Certificates in the Vancouver Island area continued steadily during September, October and November, 1942, according to figures released by the National War Finance Committee.

Sales in individual centres for the three-month period were as follows: Victoria, Esquimalt and Oak Bay, $147,644; Chemainus, $8,076; Courtenay and district, $9,460; Duncan and Cowichan district, $22,512; Ladysmith and district, $6,012; Nanaimo and district, $12,415; Port Alberni and district, $12,224; Saanichton and district, $4,864; Salt Spring Island, $1,540; Sidney, $2,060; West Saanich, $976.

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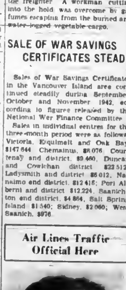

WALLACE G. COURTNEY

DISTRICT traffic manager of Trans-Canada Air Lines at Vancouver, who was in Victoria yesterday, conferring with Miss Evelyn Feeley, who, Mr. Courtney stated, has been promoted to be city ticket agent.

RAILWAYMEN SEE CABINET

Submit Brief Requesting Amendments to Industrial And Health Acts

Including eighteen proposed amendments to the Workmen's Compensation Act, changes in the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act and the Insurance Act and requesting the implementation of the Health Insurance Act, a brief was submitted to the Provincial Cabinet by a delegation of railwaymen yesterday afternoon. The Cabinet promised careful consideration of the proposals.

The memorandum, prepared by the joint legislative committee of the railway labor organizations, expressed agreement with a number of the recommendations contained in the report of Mr. Justice Gordon Sloan, commissioner appointed to inquire into the Workmen's Compensation Act. The memorandum reaffirmed a submission in reference to the Workmen's Compensation Act made to the Government in December, 1941.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

Among the proposed amendments to the act are:

An allowance of $12 a month for each dependent child up to eighteen years of age in cases of widows or invalided widower, with the family minimum abolished.

Allowances for orphaned children to be increased to $25 a month up to eighteen years of age, except where the child is an invalid where allowance should be continued so long as the child remains an invalid or dies. Maximum in all cases to be abolished.

Lump sum of $100 for widow or foster mother in addition to other allowances in this act.

Provision of a rehabilitation fund to be used to reduce disabilities due to industrial accidents, and to retrain permanently disabled workmen for new vocations.

PARENTS WOULD BENEFIT

Payment of $1,000 to parents of workman who dies from accident and leaves no dependents.

Compensation minimum of $12.50 a week, unless earnings are less than that amount, increase of compensation to 75 per cent.

Compensation to be paid for disability after six days instead of fourteen.

A minimum of $3,000, instead of $2,000 on which compensation may be paid. (Mr. Justice Sloan recommended $2,500.)

COMPULSORY ARBITRATION

In addition the delegation recommended amendments to the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act providing for compulsory arbitration, and amendment to the Insurance Act deleting the clause providing that where the driver of an automobile is under the influence of liquor, and a pedestrian injured, no liability attaches to the insuring company.

Represented by the joint legislative committee of the railway labor organizations were the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, Order of Railway Conductors, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, Order of Railway Telegraphers, Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees, Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, and Brotherhood of Railway Carmen of America.

MRS. R. A. C. GRANT DIES ON MAINLAND

Mrs. R. A. C. Grant, a native daughter of Victoria, died in Vancouver on Monday night after a long illness. She had lived on the Mainland with her eldest sister since the death of her husband, Ronald A. C. Grant, partner in the firm of Grant & Lineham.

Her father, Albert G. Sargison, was for many years city editor of The Daily Colonist. She was a member of the Native Daughters of British Columbia.

She leaves one sister, Mrs. T. J. Hutchings, in Vancouver and three brothers, A. E. Sargison and Reginald Sargison, San Francisco, and Harry B. Sargison, Victoria.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. Hugh A. McLeod will officiate and interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL NOTES

Among the oldest of the old-timers in North Saanich is Mrs. J E Bell, of Saanichton. On Sunday she celebrated her ninety-first birthday at an informal reception attended by several of her friends. Mrs. Bell has been a continuous resident of the district in the one home on Kings Road, overlooking the Experimental Station, for some forty-five years. It was in 1894 that the late J. E. Bell came to Sidney and was employed on the Armstrong farm, known as "The Maples," at present occupied by the dairy of Mr. Mark Courser. Three years later Mr. Bell returned to Coburg, Ont., and brought his bride to the house which has ever since been her home. Mr. Bell died in May, 1931. Mrs. Bell enjoys excellent health and is happy in outdoor work with her poultry and her fruit trees. She is a regular attendant at South Saanich United Church at Shady Creek and is loyal to all the enterprises of the congregation. It is something unusual indeed that keeps Mrs. Bell from church, and her pastor, Rev. D. M Perley, paid her a well-deserved tribute when, at the reception, he mentioned her faithfulness to the church. Among the guests present on this occasion was Mrs. W. Armstrong, with whom Mrs Bell and the late Mr. Bell were associated for many years.

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The regent and officers of Victoria Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., will entertain Mrs. R J. Sprott, president of Provincial Chapter, and Mrs. W. N. Martin, first vice-president, at tea this afternoon at the Empress Hotel. Mrs. Aubrey Kent, second vice-regent of Municipal Chapter, will preside at the tea table. Those present, besides the guests of honor will be Mrs. A H. C. Phipps, Mrs. Aubrey Kent, Mrs. H. Cressine, Mrs. P. Cunningham, Mrs. F. P. Beckett, Mrs. J. L. Gates, Mrs. E. E Wootton, Mrs J T. Jones and Mrs. P. E Corby.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brooks, who were married in Vancouver last Saturday, are spending their honeymoon in Victoria and are staying at the Empress Hotel. Mrs. Brooks, the former Vera La Manda Woodcraft, is the daughter of Mr and Mrs T. J Brooms, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W H Brooks, both of Vancouver.

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Rev Andrew D. Reid, D.D. who was pastor at Centennial United Church previous to his retirement a little over two years ago, is visiting the Coast and will be in Victoria this week-end. He will occupy the pulpit at Centennial Church both morning and evening on Sunday, January 17.

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Mrs F. M. Haynes, 117 King George Terrace has as her guest for a ten-day visit, her daughter, Mrs P M Kreger, who came over from Seattle with her two sons, Desmond and Wesley. The boys will attend the University School, Mount Tolmie.

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Miss Margaret Smedley, R.N., and Miss Etta Jones, R.N., who have been visiting relatives here for the past fortnight, left recently for Seattle, where they will spend a few days with Miss Smedley's brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Alvin Bisko.

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After spending a week in Victoria at the Empress Hotel, Miss Jean Denison, of Ottawa, left for the Mainland on Monday. She has many friends here having been private secretary to the late Dr. S. F. Tolmie, former Premier of British Columbia.

Mr and Mrs Charles W. Pangman, Transit Road, Oak Bay, will leave on Friday for Toronto, Ont., and expect to be away from Victoria for about three weeks. Mr Pangman will attend the annual meeting of the Bank of Toronto.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neilson, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs Hans Kiesow, 2032 Esplanade, for the past ten days, left on Monday for Vancouver, where they will spend a few days before returning to their home in Calgary, Alta.

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Among the Vancouver visitors who are registered at the Empress Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. C H Gordon, Mr and Mrs. L. P. Malo, Mr. and Mrs Keith Shaw, Mr. Garfield A. King and Mr. Kenneth Whittaker.

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P.O. John F. Neilans, R.C.A.F., who is spending his leave with his mother, Mrs J. E. Neilans, 2140 Epworth Street, will return on Thursday to his station at Jarvis, Ont., where he is an instructor in bombing and gunnery.

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A.C. James D. Fair, R.C.A.F., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fair, Yale Street, Oak Bay, left yesterday for Vancouver, where he will spend a few days before returning to Dunnville, Ont.

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Mrs. Joseph Roberts, of this city, who left recently for Halifax to join her husband, Sub-Lieut. Roberts, R.C.N.V.R., has taken up residence in that city at 54 Walnut Street.

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Miss Irene Ross returned to her home, 308 Beach Drive, on Monday from Montreal, where she spent the holiday season with her sister, Mrs. Wingate McLimont.

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Honoring her house guest, Mrs. J. A. Cockburn, Vancouver, Mrs. A. Y Johnstone, Hampshire Road, entertained yesterday afternoon at a luncheon party for six.

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Mrs. Charles Allen has arrived from Vancouver and will spend a few weeks here, a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr and Mrs. J. J Meredith, of Lake Louise, Alta., have come to the Coast for a brief visit and are staying at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. W. K. Colquhoun, of Vernon, is spending a few days in the capital and is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs Edwin Gardner, of this city, is in Vancouver visiting her mother, Mrs. Norman Whitall.

—Photo by Robert Fort.

MISS BETTY DAWSON

HONORED Queen of Bethel No. 2, Order of Job's Daughters, who was recently installed in office as head of the organization for the coming six months. Members of Job's Daughters are young girls between the years of thirteen and twenty, and are relatives of Master Masons. Miss Dawson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Dawson, Arbutus Road, Gordon Head. Her father is past grand patron, and her mother is past grand matron of the Order of the Eastern Star in Alberta. A meeting of Job's Daughters, Bethel No. 2, will be held tomorrow at 7:30 o'clock in the lower hall of the Shrine Temple.

RED CROSS

FAIRFIELD UNIT

The Fairfield Unit of the Red Cross will hold the annual meeting in the schoolroom of the Fairfield United Church on Thursday at 2.30 o'clock.

OAK BAY UNIT

The annual general meeting of the Oak Bay Unit of the Red Cross will be held this afternoon at 3 30 o'clock in the workrooms, 2165 Oak Bay Avenue.

HOME NURSING CLASSES

Registrations for the Red Cross home nursing classes, to start on January 18, are being received until the 18th of the month at Red Cross headquarters, 802 Broughton Street. This course takes fourteen weeks to complete and a nominal fee is charged.

Mrs. Mossop Gives Esquimalt W.I. Merited Praise

Mrs A. Mossop, president of the Esquimalt Women's Institute, complimented the members on the amount of work accomplished during the past year and thanked them for their co-operation in carrying on the affairs of the institute. These remarks were made at the meeting of the institute held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N Kelly, Esquimalt Road, when the annual reports were read by the secretary and treasurer.

The financial statement revealed that total receipts from all sources amounted to $330 08, expenses $363, leaving a balance of $30.05 with which to commence the new year. The sum of $20 was handed in at this meeting by Mrs A. Booth, being the balance of the account of the child hygiene committee which ceased to function some years ago. Mrs. Booth was the president of the group, and in handing the money over to the institute requested that it be donated to the Queen's Canadian Fund. She was accorded a hearty vote of thanks.

The following members were appointed to committees: Mrs G. Wise, economics; Mrs N Kelly and Mrs R. Garrett, ways and means; Mrs J P Hicks, better schools, Mrs. T Bradley, refreshments. Mrs Booth, Mrs. J. Stewart and Mrs. Garrett were welcomed to the meeting after long absences.

It was reported by the convener of the Red Cross committee that 148 articles had been completed during the year. Sewing, sixty-five articles, woolen garments, fifty-four and two quilts. The members donated thirty-six articles to the Solarium.

Tomorrow evening a five hundred card game will be played at the home of Mrs N Kelly, 1357 Esquimalt Road starting at 8 15 o'clock. Prizes will be given and refreshments served.

Honor Brides-Elect

A miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Alan Cameron (nee Schroeder), a recent bride, was given by Mrs T. Southern, Mrs. A. E. Malcham and Mrs J. Parnall and held at Mrs. Southern's home, 124 Government Street, recently. A color scheme of pink and blue proved very effective. Corsage bouquets were presented to the bride and her mother upon their arrival: pale pink carnations for Mrs. Cameron and deeper pink for Mrs. F Schroeder. The rooms were attractive with greenery, chrysanthemums and cyclamen. The gifts were presented in a basket trimmed prettily in blue and pink and after they had been opened, refreshments were served by the hostesses. The guests were Mrs. F Schroeder, Mrs. I H. Smith, Mrs. F Davey, Mrs. A. Schroeder, Mrs. L. Smith, Mrs R N Brown, Mrs. J. Davey, Mrs Angus McKay, Mrs F J. Pollard, Mrs. G. Kirkendale, Mrs F. Mawhinney, Mrs. W. Schroeder, Mrs. R. Linley, Mrs. T Dawe, Mrs. J. Ditworth, Mrs. R Davey, Mrs. S Varcoe, Mrs. H. Schroeder, Mrs C. W Lamb (South Dakota), and Misses Rae Kirkendale, Margaret and Catherine Davey, Little Terry Varcoe and Dinny Linley.

Young People's Organizations

A.Y.P.A.

The Langford-Colwood Branch of the Anglican Young People's Association will hold a meeting tomorrow at 8 o'clock in the Legion Hall Langford.

ENGAGEMENTS

WILSON—GREENWAY

Mr and Mrs Frank O. Greenway, 1880 St. Ann Street, announce the engagement of their young daughter, Florence H to Leading Telegrapher Robert A Wilson, R.C.N., younger son of Mr and Mrs M E Wilson, of Rosedale B.C. The wedding will take place Friday, January 15, at 7 30 o'clock in St Mary's Church, Oak Bay.

C.G.I.T. NOTES

LEADERS' COUNCIL

The Victoria Leaders' Council will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the Oriental Mission Home 1120 Pembroke Street. A discussion will be held on "C.G.I.T. Week" and plans will be made for a Bible study course.

Witty Kitty

An optimist is she who thinks she can squeeze a personal errand into a business day.

NEW FIELD FOR AIRWOMEN

Two members of the first class of airwomen photographers in the R.C.A.F., pictured above, study the details of a camera gun, used to record the skill of air gunners. Left to right, A.W.2 M. M. M Dunn, Summer Cove, Sask., Flt. Sergt E E Crisp, their instructor, and A.W.I. P. M. Holden, Southport, England.

Mrs. Harvey Agnew Will Make Housing Survey

Mrs. Harvey Agnew, supervisor for the Consumer Branch National Housing Registration, will arrive in Victoria tomorrow morning in the course of her trans-Canada tour in the interests of her housing survey to organize a community effort to meet a recognized need.

Mrs. Agnew hopes to complete her housing registration within the next three or four months. She intends to set up no new or conflicting organization. The work will be done in consultation, in Victoria, with the National Housing Committee containing representatives from Consumer Branch of the Wartime Prices and Trades Board, Women's Regional Advisory Committee, City Council, Y.W.C.A., Real Estate Board, Chamber of Commerce, Wartime Housing, Hospitality Committee, Provincial Social Service, Catholic Women's League, Protestant Churches' Association.

NO COMPULSORY BILLETING

According to Mrs Winifred Rayfuse, registry manager, one important misunderstanding which Mrs. Agnew is anxious to remove, is the question of compulsory billeting. So far as Canada is concerned, compulsory billeting is out, in Mrs. Agnew's view. Compulsory billeting in Britain, she points out, was undertaken as a result of circumstances which do not exist in Canada. There is no intention of duplicating the British experience. Even if compulsory registration has to be taken to round out or supplement a voluntary canvass, there need be no fear that compulsory billeting is "just around the corner."

The reason Mrs Agnew was asked to take on this work is that for the past fourteen years, what she calls her "post-graduate course in business administration," has led directly to the presidency of National Council of the Young Women's Christian Association.

Mrs. Agnew thinks that a seat on the national council's directorate is the finest sort of training any woman can have in administration. Run entirely by women, this organization now administrates property valued at over $9,000,000.

WORK OF Y.W.C.A.

In the matter of housing, the association is the only organization in Canada which has a nation-wide experience in the placement of floating population. So important is its Wartime Room Registry Service that the Government now recognizes it officially and gives financial assistance. In the nine months ended September, 60,000 people (single girls and soldiers' wives) have been looked after by this service in thirty-nine urban centres. The "Y.W." is run entirely by women (except for janitory service).

Mrs. Agnew is the president of the central and policy-making body which keeps a maternal and businesslike eye on the forty-five separate and autonomous local associations. War jobs such as hostess houses (which have looked after 2,500,000 women since they were first established in March, 1940) are the special responsibility for the National Council.

HER HOME IN TORONTO

Mrs Agnew is the daughter of R C. Smith, head of the advertising agency of that name in Toronto. She was a scholarship student at University College, and is a former president of the University College Alumnae Association. She married Dr. Agnew (now associate secretary of the Canadian Medical Association) shortly after graduation from university.

Until a few years ago her chief occupation was the raising of two children. Today, the boy and girl are seventeen and nineteen, respectively. They live in Toronto with their dad, Dr. Harvey Agnew, and are old enough to permit their mother to come and do an important job for Donald Gordon's newly formed housing administration.

C.W.L. Plans to Equip Shelter

The January meeting of the Victoria Senior C.W.L. was held last evening in the Parish Hall, with Mrs. A. Cowden in the chair, who welcomed Rev. Msgr. A. G. Baker, introducing him to the members as their newly appointed chaplain for the year. After expressing his pleasure in this office, Msgr. Baker asked for a list of boys and girls in the three services, requested by Chief Chaplain Bishop Nelligan for his honor roll. Mrs. Blair Reid, diocesan president, asked the co-operation of a voluntary committee to list available quarters for transients and newcomers. She met with a ready response. Mrs W. Mulcahy gave the financial standing, and Miss Viva Babbington reported extensive correspondence, which included a New Year's greeting from Mrs. W G McManus, of Sydney, N.S.

Plans were discussed for the equipment of the "after air-raid" shelter to be prepared in the Parish Hall, and voluntary contributions were offered and a committee appointed to act. Mrs. P. C Shaw, as Red Cross convener, spoke on the subject, and also announced that her wool supply was still available for knitters. Miss Clay, reporting for discussion clubs, reviewed the work accomplished at the advent meetings directed by Bishop J C. Cody and thanks were expressed to the convener and deep appreciation for the interest shown by the director. The Canadian League magazine was circulated among the subscribers and Msgr. Baker read from it a biography and obituary notice of Rev. Canon Philippe Casgrain, a devoted friend of the C.W.L. since its foundation, and a distinguished clergyman and patriot.

The education report dealt with the speech contest at St Ann's and the marked improvement in the entrants to the contest, also the cap-receiving ceremony at St Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing. Mrs Ebbs-Canavan also read Miss Madeline Clay's contribution on "National C.W.L. Scholarship," from the league magazine. The remaining committee reported 103 parcels of literature sent this month. Hospital visiting was undertaken by Mrs W Mulcahy for St. Joseph's, with Mrs M Clay continuing as visitor to Mount St. Mary. Mrs. E. Hornsby received a vote of thanks for her long-continued service as visitor during the holiday season.

Sincere regret was expressed and a special tribute paid to the life and work of Rev. Father Scheelen, for whom, as for the late Mrs. S. A. M. Shaw and Mr Henry Penfold, of Montreal, prayers were recited by the members.

Aid to Russia Donations Still Coming In Well

The grand total of $8,587 79 is reported by W. J. Peers, acting treasurer of the Aid to Russia Fund, 1238 Government Street, as the latest figures for this campaign, which comes to a close at the end of this month. Yesterday's donations amounted to $328 90.

Among the latest contributions are: Mrs T Bennett, $1; Chris Coffee Shop, $3; Mrs. Dodwell, $10; V. E Ashdown, $10; Anon, $3, Mrs H Doughty, $1, International Brotherhood of Paper Makers, Local 367, $15; Mrs. W Curtis Martin, $1; Miss Tannis Martin, $1, John Whittaker, $2, Mrs. Howorth, $1, Howard Faulkner, $5, Anon, $1, Evans and Wife, $2; C W Thornton, $2, Anonymous, 75c, Mrs Jackson, 50c, A. Cameron, $5, Alfred Buxton, $5, Mr and Mrs W. T Hamilton, $5; Mrs E Ogden, $2.50. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McIntyre, $5; S. P Birley, $5; Miss Lena Galt, $25, an Old-Age Pensioner $5, Anonymous $2, E W Bird, $5, A Richards $1; G Meredith Petch, $10, T P M., $5, Mr. and Mrs. E. D Todd, $200; R.E.O., $11.25; Mr. High, $2, Mr and Mrs W A Stursberg $5, Anonymous, $2, C H Pettman $5.

Dean Elliott Discusses Church and Theatre

The attitude of the church toward the theatre was explained in an address by Very Rev Dean Spencer H Elliott before the Victoria and Islands Branch of the Canadian Authors' Association in the Y.W.C.A. on Monday night.

Pointing out that all plays were at first connected with pagan worship, Dean Elliott traced their decline in Rome to mere lewd spectacles, their rise to moral purpose in Elizabethan drama and subsequent decline to mere amusement. The church, he said, rightly condemned plays of grave indecency but should not stand aloof from dramatic art which could possess a lofty moral purpose.

Times of wholesale tragedy, such as the present, dull the sensibilities of the public who can be aroused only by the most flambovant and spectacular shows. Yet, the speaker believed plays of great moral intention in harmony with Christian teaching will appear when the public conscience once more becomes sensitive and receptive.

Mrs Doris Ferne reviewed Miss Anne Marriott's chap book "Salt Marsh" and commended the author for facing stark truth yet finding a satisfactory answer to life's problems. Donald Fraser reviewed John Gough's "New World Horizons," commending its artistic illustrations and well integrated content.

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V.O.N. Personnel Made 953 Calls In December

Visits made by the nurses of the Victorian Order in the city during the past month again neared the thousand mark, totaling 953, according to the report given by the supervisor, Miss A Creasor, at the board meeting on Tuesday. Mrs Russell B. Horton in the chair.

Nine new members attended the first weekly "Mother Craft" class held this year at the Y.W.C.A. on Monday under the direction of Mrs. F J Sehl, convener. Miss Creasor will give a demonstration in child care at the next class, to be held next Monday afternoon at 2 30 o'clock in Room 217, Pemberton Building.

Other figures in Miss Creasor's report included: New patients, 157; calls made on mothers and babies 196; pneumonia patients, 8; cancer patients, 32; communicable disease patients, 101; chronics, 259, others, 278. Instructive visits totaled seventy-nine. There were sixteen night calls made and at the five "Well-Baby Clinics" here there were ninety-six babies in attendance.

Plans for the annual meeting to be held in February were discussed and ten board members were asked to volunteer for telephoning in connection with the Victoria Branch of the National Housing Registry. Other reports were given by Mrs Allan Wyllie, for the nominations committee, and Mrs. F. J. Sehl, for "Mother Craft."

Weddings

BOYKO—PARKE

Rev. Hugh A McLeod officiated at the wedding of Gloria Aulene Florence, only daughter of Mr and Mrs. W. T. Parke, 2920 Prior Street, and Mr Bill Boyko, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyko, Vancouver, which took place on Tuesday evening in the vestry of First United Church. The bride was given away by her father and wore a floor-length gown of white sheer with bishop sleeves. Her shoulder veil was caught into a coronet of lace and orange blossom and she carried a Colonial bouquet of red roses and white heather. Mrs. John O'Connell was matron of honor, in a blue sheer frock with matching tulle bows in her hair, and Miss Annie Boyko, sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid, in pink sheer with matching bows in her hair. They wore corsage bouquets of pink carnations. Mr. George Marquette was groomsman. The reception was held at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs E G Simpson, 2927 Prior Street, where a buffet supper was served, the bride's cake standing on a lace-covered table decorated with pale pink chrysanthemums. For a wedding trip on the Mainland the bride changed into a moss green dress with chocolate brown accessories. Mr and Mrs Boyko will make their home in Vancouver.

BRAITHWAITE—CORAY

At a quiet ceremony in Glad Tidings Tabernacle on Tuesday afternoon, Rev E W Robinson united in marriage Theo Marie, only daughter of Mrs. Mary Coray, 2124 Oregon Avenue, and Mr L Coray, Winnipeg, and Sgmn Leyson Braithwaite, R.C.C.S., eldest son of Mr and Mrs W. Braithwaite, Augusta Avenue, Toronto. Owing to the unavoidable absence of her father the bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Lewis Coray, and she wore a powder blue street-length frock with black accessories and a corsage bouquet of pale pink and deep rose carnations. There were no attendants. The reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, where the decorative motif was carried out in pink and white, and over the cake was suspended a white bell. For a wedding trip on the Mainland the bride donned a black coat trimmed with silver fox over her ensemble. Sgmn and Mrs. Braithwaite will make their home in Victoria. Mrs Victor Johnson, Mrs H Alexander and Mrs A Hackley were Vancouver guests at the wedding.

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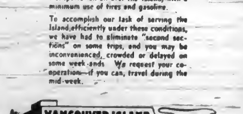

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CLUB ACTIVITIES

W.A. to Canadian Legion

Mrs. B. Deane-Freeman was re-elected president of the W.A. to Prince Edward Branch No. 31, Canadian Legion, at the annual meeting held recently in the Legion Hall. Langford. Other officers were: Vice-president, Mrs. A. G. Mackie; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. Maughan; executive, Mrs. Pike and Mrs. Day; committee for Legion Buddies for Britain, Mrs. M. Deane-Freeman and Mrs. E. J. Richards. A very gratifying financial statement and report of the year's activities was presented by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. P. W. Weem, who was presented by Mrs. Pike a life member with a gift in appreciation of her services for three years as secretary-treasurer. Donations were voted to the Russian Relief Fund the Queen Charlotte Hospital in England (through the Provincial W.A. and a War Bond to be purchased. Tentative plans were made for a court whist party to be held on Saturday, February 13, to which soldiers from the Bay Army camps will be invited. The secretary reported that 110 soldiers from the districts of Langford, Glinvoat, Happy Valley and Metchosin had been remembered by the Branch at Christmas time and Mrs. W. Alldorf reported that parcels sent to General Wavell's forces had been received. Donations had been given to the Salvation Army's mobile canteen fund, Provincial Command war work, the local first aid point and Bundles for Britain. Greetings from soldiers' camps, the Belford Drama Group and Betti Clair's pupils had assisted with concerts. Mrs. A. O. Markle had carried out several very successful contests in aid of War Work and Mrs. Rose Palmer had shown motion pictures during the past year.

I.O. to Women's Institute

Mrs. J. W. Church, first vice-president, took the chair at the meeting of the Ladies' Guild to the Cromstadt Women's Institute held yesterday afternoon in the absence due to illness of Mrs. Vernon Thomson, president. Mrs. F. Mackenzie gave a satisfactory report as treasurer. Mrs. H. M. B. Carter reported visiting ten patients at St. Joseph's Hospital, when sweaters, socks, cigarettes, fruit and magazines were given them. Mrs. J. Quinn visited twenty patients at the Royal Jubilee Hospital and also visited seven patients who went home for Christmas. To these she gave socks and sweaters. In her report Miss M. de Trafford stated two sweaters, two pairs of socks and one turtle-neck sweater on hand, and one scarf, eleven sweaters and eleven pairs of socks have been given away. The guild expressed gratitude at the meeting for donations, including fifteen tuck-in, cigarettes and playing cards, which were given away at Christmas and two pairs of socks and one sweater.

Junior Auxiliary to Air Services

The Junior Branch of the Auxiliary to the Air Services met at the YWCA recently when the secretary read many letters of thanks received by the group from RCAF bases stationed on the West Coast who had received Christmas parcels. A subscription to the morning and evening papers is being sent to Kidmore House, Post Bay Road, the newly-opened barracks for girls in the RCAF (WD). The auxiliary is also supplying the barracks with embroidered laundry bags. Plans are under way to raise money to further the work of the Junior Branch. Girls interested in becoming members are asked to telephone the secretary, Miss Adele Plant, E3956. Mrs. Margaret Bell was unanimously elected to the office of treasurer, left open by the resignation of Mrs. Betty Mackenzie (Mrs. Stevens).

Ready to Help Circle

The Ready to Help Circle of the King's Daughters met recently at the chapterroom of the newly-elected president, Miss I. Cathcart, presiding. Other officers for the year are: Past president, Mrs. R. J. Fox; vice-president, Mrs. H. E. Ford; treasurer, Mrs. M. Osborhout; secretary, Mrs. W. Spry; treasurer of flower fund, Mrs. C. Edwards; convener of work, Mrs. J. Fox. Several articles of clothing were turned in at this meeting, including a sweater, socks, a girl's coat and skirt, and two pairs of little felt slippers. These donations will be sent overseas. Plans were also made for new work. Members were reminded of the anniversary service to be held at First United Church on January 17 at 11 o'clock. Following the business a social half-hour was enjoyed.

Centennial W.M.S.

Members of Centennial W.M.S. held the first meeting of the new year recently at the church. The president gave a short talk on "Faith," which was followed by the business report of the past year. In most cases satisfactory progress was revealed in the various branches of the society. A Mission Band was formed in October and now has twelve members, and the C.O.I.T. group is continuing its good work. Mrs. MacKenzie conducted the installation service, which was attended by twenty-five members and friends. The study book, "The Church in the City Streets," was reviewed by four members before the meeting closed.

W.A. to R.C.O.C.

A meeting of the R.C.O.C. Women's Auxiliary was held recently at the home of the president, Mrs. R. O. Humphrey, 158 Cecilia Street. The secretary reported Christmas parcels had been sent to men of the ship, other than overseas. Candy, Chinese checkers, cigarettes, woolen playing cards, books and magazines had been sent at Christmas. The president also noted the military hospital and gave patients who were able to use them, fruit, chocolate bars, candy and cigarettes. The next meeting will be held on Friday, January 22, at 2.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. O. Austin, 908 Esquimalt Road.

W.A. to M.S.C.C.

The Sooke Women's Auxiliary to the M.S.C.C. of Holy Trinity Church, Sooke, held a meeting at the home of Mrs. William Locke recently with the president, Mrs. L. Austin, in the chair. General business matters were discussed and it was arranged to hold the next meeting at the home of Mrs. B. Matthews, Church Road. The hostess served delicious refreshments.

C.O.I.T. to Parade

The Canadian Auxiliary Territorial Service will parade tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at the city fire hall, Cormorant Street. Corp. Poole will be in charge of drill.

Women's Union of First Baptist

The Women's Union of First Baptist Church will meet tomorrow at 2.30 o'clock, when reports of last year's work will be read.

W.A. to T.V.A.

The regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Tuberculous Veterans will be held tomorrow at 2.30 o'clock. The election of officers will be held at the clubrooms, Blanshard Street.

Army and Navy W.A.

A card party under the auspices of the Army and Navy W.A. will be held in the clubrooms, 101 Union Building, on January 14 at 2 o'clock.

Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester Are Pictured With Their Son, Prince William, Who Was One Year Old Last December 18.

TAX ON LAND HELD UNFAIR

Removal of Levy for Education Proposed by Union of B.C. Municipalities

Removal of educational costs as a tax on land was proposed by a delegation from the Union of British Columbia Municipalities when it waited upon the Provincial Cabinet yesterday.

The delegation, under Alderman C. E. Scanlon, of Kamloops, president of the Union, reviewed legislation from the time of the passing of the British North America Act, and declared that former Premier T. D. Pattullo in 1940 brought down legislation providing for relief of taxation upon real estate to the sum of $2,000,000 in 1941 and not less than $400,000 in succeeding years.

The last contribution that ownership of land does not necessarily mean ability to pay and the present educational (including polio) frequently penalizes the prudent investor. It considered that while Provincial grants to education since 1926 have increased 50 per cent, taxation within school units has increased 38 per cent.

In referring to the proposed increases in benefits to unemployable and broadening of social services, which he had announced on Monday, Hon. O. S. Pearson, Provincial Secretary and Minister of Labor, advised the delegates that he would communicate directly with municipalities whose approval the proposals are sought.

The statutory 1942 grant of $450,000 will no doubt be paid prior to March 31 next," he was stated in a press statement issued by the union last night. "But the Coalition Government has seen to it that the lot of the last unemployment relief defeated and Mr. Pattullo's promise broken. There will be no measure of relief to the over-assessed real estate.

Municipal leaders are particularly distressed and disappointed that the Cabinet today turned a deaf ear to a proposal of the union executive that a joint committee be set up to study the vital question. There was no apparent disposition on the part of the Cabinet to alter a decision which evidently had been arrived at before the municipal representation, which emphasized the palliative today find themselves bearing a greater financial load for educational costs than they ever before were required to carry.

Reeve Joseph Brown, of Surrey, called attention to the serious situation which he said existed in smaller communities, caused by medical aid, nurses and dentists entering the armed services.

Twins Cause Some Mix-Up

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 12 (CP)—David and Timothy, twin sons of Mrs. Mary Sullivan, came here today to join this army.

A busy woman, first handed the papers of David, David waited for Timothy waited in. The yeoman read "I want to talk to your brother."

Timothy out David in. The yeoman: "What's-the-matter can't you find your brother?"

Sure I find, went him in." David replied.

He didn't come in here. All I'm on so far is you. Go, send your brother in."

David out. Timothy in. The plot exasperated yeoman:

"Can't you please get your brother in here? We're busy, you know."

I did send him in." the puzzled Tim explained.

Now wait a minute. This is no time for games. If you've got a brother, bring him in."

The brothers walked in together and a red-faced yeoman finished the papers while the dullwits grinned. Identical grins.

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rule is fifteen miles or less from Akyab.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. N. M. Irwin, British Eastern Army chief commander, just back from the forward areas near Akyab said "Our main objective is to destroy the Japanese not necessarily to proceed actually."

NO FAST CLEANUP

He emphasized that the present movement southward from Maungdaw should not be treated as a drive, operation, but as part of a plan ultimately to drive the enemy from Burma, and warned against expecting a fast clean-up anywhere in Burma.

The Japanese are offering stiff resistance in some sectors, fighting until they drop in their tracks he added, and "It is difficult to take any Japanese alive. They run into the hills or fight until they die."

Meanwhile, Indian patrols were reported working southward near Maungdaw, on the east side of the Mayu River.

A Chinese army spokesman was quoted in dispatches from Chungking as saying that several thousand Japanese reinforcements for Burma had been landed in Indo-China. Presumably the Japanese intended to move these men over, and rather than attempt the difficult and dangerous transport journey by way of Bangkok and the Bay of Bengal to Rangoon.

The spokesman said that the Japanese force at Akyab was "estimated at fewer than 2,000 men about a month ago.

FORCES GROWING

Meanwhile, Allied air forces in India and China were being increased week by week, and the British Ministry announced a bombing series of raids against the Japanese in Burma.

Pontha railway station in Central Burma, was attacked and engines and rolling stock destroyed, two small Japanese steamers on the Chindwin River and near Akyab were damaged, buildings and railway tracks at Kyaikthin and a number of villages near Akyab similarly bombarded and machine-gunning were bombed.

NEWSY BRIEFS

From the Wire

EGG PRICES DOWN

VANCOUVER, Jan. 12 (CP)—Egg prices at Vancouver dropped 5 cents per dozen, making a total decrease of 12 cents a dozen in most grades since January 1. Wholesale prices are now 27 cents for grade 'A' large 35 cents for medium and 22 cents for pullets.

TO RAISE $500,000

MONTREAL, Jan. 12 (CP)—Details of a plan to raise $500,000 to wipe out the debt of the Presbyterian Church in Canada were given to members of the Montreal Presbytery today by Dr. J. O. Inkster, of Toronto, secretary of the special campaign committee. Under the plan to get under way almost immediately each member and adherent of the church will be asked to contribute 10 cents for each year of his age. The returns is to be carried out by letters on the basis of lists of names supplying ministers across Canada.

WORKER CHARGED

SEATTLE, Jan. 12 (AP)—Ferdinand J. Chytil, aircraft factory worker, was jailed today on FBI accusations he wrote a another workers name on the claim of a Boeing employee who was reported missing in the wing section authorities said.

MEDICAL AUTHORITY DIES

BALTIMORE Md., Jan. 12 (AP)—Dr. Howard Atwood Kelly, eighty-four, internationally famous medical authority, and member of the Johns Hopkins medical school, died today.

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♣ Q 8	♣ 10 8 5 4 3 2
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♦ J 10 6 2	
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The bidding as several of the eight tables proceeded was thus:

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2 ♥	Pass	2 N.T.	Pass
3 N.T.	Pass	Pass	Pass

In other cases North passed the four hearts over his partner's three no trump, with the far happier result of fulfilling his contract. In no case, however, did North-South obtain the maximum number of points available to them, for the simple reason that in no case did North give his partner a chance to "get at" the two diamond bid made by West. It will be difficult to convince most readers I realize that North, holding a six card major suit in a hand containing three honour tricks should "merely pass when West opens in the more overcall of two diamonds. Yet the highest strategy, as well as the simplest, logic dictates just that course. It is quite true that, since North himself holds the ace, king and a low diamond, he cannot envisage a double on South's part. It is equally true that if North passes, South will be unable to read North for a six card heart suit—and consequently may be somewhat embarrassed for a bid. Nevertheless and despite these considerations, the second round pass is North's best procedure, and there is nothing "tame" about it. If in made with the single bid suit, it cannot, though, that South may be able to double in which case North will be delighted: failing that, that South will scarcely sell out to a timely two diamond bid if he holds anything of value—or finally, that if South is too weak to make such also too weak to bid again. North-South will be well out of trouble in letting the opponents play the hand.

It would be a sad commentary on the game of bridge if the opponents could make all thirty bids, doubled and fulfilling his contract. In no case, however, did North-South obtain the maximum number of points available to them, for the simple reason that in no case did North give his partner a chance to "get at" the two diamond bid made by West. It will be difficult to convince most

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MONY PAIN IN HEART REGION NOT DUE TO HEART DISEASE

If we could all realize the last last moon of the causes of pain in the region of the heart are not due to heart disease, there would be much peace of mind in the world today. For despite the fact that there are more cases of heart disease than ever before and also more deaths from heart disease, nevertheless the life span has risen (as we say as it is today). The fact that there are more cases of heart disease and more deaths from heart disease is because men and women live longer and heart disease attacks some of the middle-aged and elderly.

That pain in the heart region is more frequently due to other than diseases of the heart as well illustrated by Drs. B. E. Goodrich and J. W. Kerr, Detroit, in the Michigan State Medical Journal.

In reviewing the records of 227 patients complaining of pain in the chest, not due to rheumatism or high blood pressure, but who had been advised that their distress was due to heart disease, these physicians found that organic heart disease was present in forty-three the diseases were obstruction of blood vessels supplying the heart muscle (coronary occlusion), aneurysm—bulging of weakening of the large blood vessel into which the heart pumps the blood to go to all parts of the body—inflammation of the bag covering the heart, pleurisy, cancer and lung diseases. In nineteen the pain was referred, that is, due to a disturbance some distance from the heart.

Thus, of the 227 patients, 185 were suffering with pain due to no real organic cause. That is, not change in the structure of the heart or other organs. That is, pain functional pain, just as one can have a pain in the stomach with no ulcer, cancer or inflammation present.

In ninety-three of the 185 cases the pain was considered to be angina pectoris—spasm and partial closure of the blood vessels—a vice-like pain in chest, in seventy-two the symptoms were due to conditions that had nothing to do with the heart, in three functional cases there was usually present some neurotic or nervous tendency such as sighing, tiredness, tremor of tongue and eyelids, and assumed ability to withstand pain.

The thought, then, is that no pain in the heart region is more likely to be due to some other disturbance than to heart disease, the patient should consult his physician and if possible get the aid of the fluoroscope (X-ray) and electrocardiograph in diagnosing his case.

DANGEROUS DANCING

SEATTLE, Jan. 13 (AP)—Delmer Dodds, seventeen, was taken from a dance hall to a hospital today for treatment of a probable pelvic fracture. "I was jitterbugging and slid down," Delmer declared.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Leaders Show Mild Tendencies on Mart

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP).—While assorted strong spots remained in today's stock market, leaders generally exhibited mild stumbling tendencies.

Some customers trimmed accounts pending more light on the tax question in connection with the $100,000,000,000 national budget for 1943. Investment demand lightened to some extent and Wall Street recalled that the market trend in late January has been down in the preceding five years. The war news and individual business situations propped favorites.

The slant was moderately upward at the start with blocks of 1,000 to 5,000 shares appearing. Fractional advances were erased in many cases by midday and the closing tone was somewhat easy.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks finished with a net decline of .1 of a point at 41.9. Of 782 issues traded, 333 were down, 236 up and 210 unchanged. Transfers totaled 633,281 shares against 810,960 the day before.

Chilling the bullish urge to some extent was the action of the O.P.A. in freezing corn prices at yesterday's highest levels. Virtually all staples weakened.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials, 118.98, up .53.

Twenty rails, 27.00, off .16.

Fifteen utilities, 15.23, off .07.

Sales, 817,000 shares.

(R. A. Rumber, Ltd.)

	Close
Allied Chemicals	142⅞
American Can	73
American Tobacco	46½
American Smelter	30½
American Tel. & Tel.	131½
Anaconda Copper	25
Atchison Topeka	45⅛
B. & O. Railway	3⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	11⅝
Bendix Aviation	35
Beth. Steel	56½
Boeing Aircraft	15⅜
C.P.R.	7
Cerro de Pasco	31
C. & O. Railway	35
Chrysler	67⅝
Con. Edison	15⅝
Curtiss Wright	7⅛
Douglas Aircraft	58½
Dupont	134½
Eastman Kodak	140⅞
General Foods	36
General Electric	31
General Motors	44⅞
Goodyear Tire	25½
Great Northern	22⅝
Int. Harvester	57⅝
Int. Nickel	29⅝
Kennecott Copper	29⅝
Loews Theatre	42⅝
Montgomery Ward	33⅝
New York Central	10½
Penn. Railway	24⅝
Phillips Pete.	40
Pullman	27
Radio	5½
Republic Steel	14½
Standard Oil N.J.	44
Sears Roebuck	59⅝
Southern Pacific	16
Studebaker	6
Texas Corp.	41
Union Carbide	78
Union Pacific	83½
United Aircraft	26⅝
U.S. Rubber	26½
U.S. Steel	48½
Westinghouse Electric	81½
Western Union	30½
Woolworth	31½
Yellow Cab	12½
Zenith Radio	21⅝

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP).—Quotations in cents.

Official—Canadian Control Board rates for United States dollars: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market 10 9-16 per cent discount or 89.81¼ United States cents, off 1-16 cent.

Argentina—Official 29.77, free 23.57, up .06 cent.

Brazil—6.06, free 5.20.

Mexico—20.66.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP).—Quotations in dollars. Official (Bankers' Foreign Exchange Committee rates): buying 4.02, selling 4.04, open market: cables 4.04.

(Rates in and cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

VANCOUVER STOCKS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 12 (CP).—Mines and oils continued to hold their own today on the Vancouver Exchange. Trading closed at 65,500 shares.

Cariboo moved up 6 to 92 and Bralorne up 5 to 7.55. Grull Wihksne and Quatsino made small fraction gains. Premier dropped 2 cents to 58.

C. & E. Corporation fell from 1.30 to 1.25 but Home Oil moved to 2.74 up 4. McDougall Ex. sold 4,000 shares at 7⅝ up ½.

(Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

OILS

	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	.06	.06½
Anglo-Canadian	.33	
A.P. Con.	.13½	.16
British Dominion	.10	.22
C. & E. Corp.	1.20	1.32
Calmont	.24	.25
Commoil	.16½	.17½
Commonwealth	.21	.24
Dalhousie	.35	
Hedley Pete	.11	
[illegible]	.05½	
Foothills	.80	

PROSPECTS FOR PROVINCE GOOD

Basic Industries in British Columbia Aware of Future Possibilities

An unlimited field of activity lies before the logging and lumbering industry of British Columbia, of which operators are fully aware, it was claimed yesterday by E. G. Rowebottom, Deputy Minister of Trade and Industry, who discussed the province's prospects for 1943 with members of the Credit Granters' Association at their regular luncheon yesterday in Spencer's dining-room.

"There is an infinite field of development in cellulose and plastic products," he said, "and other applications for wood products yet unknown. Already the industry is contributing highly by war production, and is making wider use of lower grade woods in the face of heavy demands."

Mining in the province has seen a transfer in emphasis from gold to baser metals, and Mr. Rowebottom expects to find many new mining projects stemming from the Alaska-Canada Highway.

DEPARTMENT WORKING

The Department of Trade and Industry is securing war orders for British Columbia plants, and expects at least two vital industries to be established here after the war, but Mr. Rowebottom anticipates a sudden change after the peace.

"Competition and prices will govern the story of shipbuilding," he said, "and Eastern industries, with a large excess capacity, will again regard British Columbia as an export market."

At present the department's representative in Ottawa is securing orders which otherwise would not be had, and the department itself is engaged in sending cigarettes and fruit pulp overseas and exporting peat.

The Government is also well aware of the post-war rehabilitation problem, toward which land in the province will play a large part, and is preparing for greater expansion of tourists after the war, he said.

GAS MASK DISTRIBUTION

Civilian respirators are ready for distribution in Mill Bay, and may be obtained from Miss Kelly at the Rosebank Auto Camp from 2 to 4 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday, January 18 and 19, and on Monday and Tuesday, January 25 and 26. National Registration Cards must be presented. Residents of Cobble Hill and Mill Bay may also obtain masks at any time at the residence of H. A. Hunt, Cobble Hill. At Shawnigan distribution of masks will take place in the S.L.A.A. Hall every Monday and Wednesday evening during the month of January.

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5 ... 1953	59.00	62.00
B.C. Pulp 6 ... 1950	20.50	64.00
Brian Co. 5 ... 1959	82.00	85.00
Calgary Power 5 ... 1960	110.00	114.00
Canada Cement 4½ ... 1951	101.50	103.50
Canada Steamship 4 ... 1957	102.00	106.00
C.P.R. 3 ... 1965	[illegible]	[illegible]

WHAT'S DOING ON LOCAL WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET

Arrivals on the row this week included a carload of oranges and one of Arizona grapefruit on Monday, and a shipment of McIntosh Red apples from the Okanagan yesterday.

Celery and lettuce, both high in price, were included in consignments on vegetable row yesterday, also a carload of potatoes from Alberta. Further shipments of potatoes are due at the end of the week.

Wholesalers state hothouse tomatoes are finished for the season. The market will be supplied by shipments from Mexico.

Eggs are abundant now, and another decrease in their price was reported yesterday.

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION

(Island Investment Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Auner	1.43	1.50
Braylan	.06	.10
Base Metals	.06	.06½
Beattie		
Bouiscourt		
Canadian Malartic		
Central Patricia		
Chesterville		
Dome		
Bidgood Kirkland		
East Malartic		
Eldorado		
Falconbridge		
God's Lake		
Gunnar Gold		
Hard Rock		
Hollinger		
Home Oil		
Howey		
Hudson Bay M. & S.		
Kirkland Lake		
Kerr Addison		
Lakeshore		
Leitch Gold		
Little Long Lac		
McIntyre		
Madsen		
McKenzie Red Lake		
McLeod Cockshutt		
McWatters		
Jason		
Malartic Gold		
Madsen Red Lake		
Moneta		
Noranda		
O'Brien		
Pamour		
Paymaster		
Pend Oreille		
Perron Gold		
Pickle Crow		
Pioneer		
Premier		
Preston East Dome		
San Antonio		
Sherritt-Gordon		
Siscoe		
Sladen Malartic		

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	3	1942	102.25	103.25
	4½	1946	104.75	105.75
	4	1947	101.50	102.50
	4	1948	107.25	108.25
	4	1949	102.25	103.25
	4	1952	105.75	106.75

Egg Market

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Product Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2492.

To producer.

Grade "A" large	.33
Grade "A" medium	.31
Grade "A" pullet	.28

Following are city wholesale:

Grade "A" large	.37
Grade "A" medium	.35
Grade "A" pullet	.32

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 12 (CP).—Spot Butter, Que. 192 score, 35 1-4b. Eggs, Eastern A-large, 36-37. A-medium, 32-33; A-pullets, 29-30; E-B, 31a; E-C, 30a.

Futures: Eggs, January, 36b.

Provincial Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4 ... 1952	71.50	73.50
Alberta 5 ... 1956	71.50	73.50
British Columbia 4 ... 1957	108.50	109.50
British Columbia 4 ... 1953	111.50	112.50
British Columbia ... 1952	110.50	111.50
Manitoba 4 ... 1960	106.50	107.50
Manitoba 5 ... 1958	110.50	112.50
New Brunswick 6 ... 1961	110.00	113.00
Nova Scotia 4½ ... 1952	111.50	111.50
Ontario 4 ... 1960	109.50	110.50
Quebec 4½ ... 1958	105.50	107.50
Saskatchewan 4 ... 1951	91.50	
Saskatchewan 5 ... 1953	97.00	100.00
Saskatchewan 6 ... 1958	99.00	101.00

TAXES SOAR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP).—The Internal Revenue Bureau reported today that tax collections in the United States rose 77 per cent in the 1942 fiscal year, soaring to $13,047,-868,518, the highest on record.

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO.)

London Stocks

LONDON, Jan. 12 (CP).—Stock closings in sterling: Austin "A," 20s 9d; Babcock & Wilcox, 45s 3d; Boots, 38s 6d; Central Mining, £13 1-4; Consolidated Gold, 40s 9d; Courtaulds, 47s 3d; Crown, £63-8; De Beers deferred, £11 5-8; East Geduld £3 3-4; Hudson's Bay Co., 40s 6d; Metal Box, 82s 6d; Mexican Eagle, 10s 6d; Rio Tinto, £ ...; Springs, 17s.

Bonds—British 3 1-2 per cent Consols £83 3-4; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan £105 3-8; British Funding 4 1960-90 £114 1-2.

Montreal Stocks

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN

CHICAGO GRAIN

(R. A. Rumber, Ltd.)

Averages: Industrials 101.91 up .30; Rails 71.73 down .41; Metals 66.70 up .45; Oils 10.45 up .42.

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(Pacific Daylight Time)

8:00 A.M.—News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX, CJVI). Radio Parade (KOMO). Everyman's Chapel (KJR). Ann Baxter (KIRO). Breakfast Club (KOL).

8:15 A.M.—Sunrise Serenade (CJVI). Master Musicians (CBR). News (KOMO). Valiant Lady (KIRO). Breakfast Club (KJR). News (CJOR). Breakfast Time Tunes (CKWX).

8:30 A.M.—Front Line Family (CBR). Victor Lindlahr (KOMO). Kitty Foyle (KIRO). News (KOL). Billy Browne (CJOR). Radio Reveiries (CKWX).

8:45 A.M.—Sacred Meditations (CJVI). Good Morning, Maestro (CBR). David Harum (KOMO). Uncle Tiepoint (KJR). Aunt Jenny's Real Life Stories (KIRO). Musicale (KOL). News (CKWX).

9:00 A.M.—Rhapsodies in Rhythm (CJVI). B.B.C. News (CBR). The O'Neill's (KOMO). News (KJR). Kate Smith Speaks (KIRO). Bucker Carter (KOL). Shut-In (CJOR). Variety (CKWX).

9:15 A.M.—Morning Bulletin Board (CJVI). Big Sister (CBR, KIRO). Good News Times (KOMO). Vicki Vickee (KJR). Reading the Bible (KOL). News (CJOR).

9:30 A.M.—Lucy Linton (CBR). Enjoy Yourselves (KOMO). Breakfast at Sardis (KJR). Romance of Helen Trent (KIRO). Morning Concert (KOL). Betty and Bob (CKWX).

Radio Highlights

1:00—The Balladeer. CBR.

2:00—B.C. Schools Broadcast. CBR.

5:00—Eddie Cantor. KPO, KOMO.

6:00—Bob Burns. KIRO.

6:30—Lionel Barrymore. KIRO.

6:30—Mr. District Attorney. KPO, KOMO.

7:00—Kay Kyser. KOMO, KPO.

8:30—Army Night. CJVI.

8:30—Dr. Christian. KIRO.

8:00—Point Sublime. KPO, KOMO.

9:30—The Shadow. CJVI.

9:30—From the New World. CBR.

10:00—Radio Forum. KJR.

10:15—Gospel Ambassadors. CJVI.

At the Duncan's (KIRO). Melody Supplement (KOL). Ma Perkins (CJOR).

3:30 P.M.—Snow Village (KOMO). Fiedler Conducts (CBR). Earl Wrightson (KJR). Keep Singing, America (KIRO). Overseas Report (KOL). Pepper Young (CJOR). Dream Island (CKWX).

3:45 P.M.—Melodies and Miracles (CJVI). B.B.C. News (CBR).

9:15 P.M.—Orchestra (KJR). Star Parade (KIRO). Carroll Carter (KOL).

9:30 P.M.—The Shadow (CJVI). From the New World (CBR). Music (KOMO). Sing for Dough (KJR). Rhapsody (KIRO). John B. Hughes (KOL). Charlie Chan (CJOR). Cavalcade of Music (CKWX).

9:45 P.M.—Orchestra (KOMO, KJR). Orchestra (KIRO). Fulton Lewis, Jr. (KOL). Sunny Days (CKWX).

10:00 P.M.—Let's Dance (CJVI). C.B.C. News (CBR). News (KOMO, CKWX). National Radio Forum (KJR). News, Orchestra (KIRO). Melody Road (KOL). At Eventide (CJOR). Radio Rascals (CJOR).

10:10 P.M.—Elmore Philpott, News (CBR).

10:15 P.M.—Gospel Ambassadors (CJVI). Isabelle McEwan Sings (CBR). Starlight Souvenir (KOMO). News (KIRO, KOL). Weaver of Dreams (CKWX).

10:30 P.M.—News (CJVI). Orchestra (CBR). Orchestra (KOMO, KJR). Symphony (KOL). Radio Rascals (CJOR). Orchestra (CKWX).

10:45 P.M.—Out of the Night (CJVI). Orchestra (KOMO). Without Words (KIRO). At Close of Day (CKWX).

10:55 P.M.—News (KOMO).

11:00 P.M.—Orchestra (CBR, KIRO). Evening Reveries (KOMO). Folk Music (KJR). Starred for Listening (KOL). Orchestra (KIRO). Concert Hour (CJOR). Anything Goes (CKWX).

11:15 P.M.—Orchestra (KOL).

11:25 P.M.—News (CBR).

11:30 P.M.—Orchestra (CBR, KOMO). Melody Lane (KJR). Easy Listening (KIRO). Orchestra (KOL).

11:45 P.M.—News for Alaska (KIRO). News (KOMO). Organ (KJR). News (KOL).

11:55 P.M.—News (CJOR, CKWX).

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VANCOUVER—CBR (1130), CJOR (600), CKWX (980).
SEATTLE—KIRO (710), KOMO (950), KJR (1000), KOL (1300).
SAN FRANCISCO—KPO (680).
OAKLAND—KGO (810).

PLAY TO BE BROADCAST

The play, "Night Song," written by Archie MacCorkindale, Victoria, will be carried by the C.B.C. on a coast-to-coast broadcast from CBR, Vancouver, tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

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John—It'd better be."

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—Shoes, 1st Floor

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NO. 27—EIGHTY-FIFTH YEAR — VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1943

Glancing Over Sport

By JOE DELAHUNTY

ATHLETE IS MISSING

A few years ago a young, dark-haired youngster used to parade to the mound for the Sons of Canada baseball club when that squad dominated the senior league in this city. When he wasn't pitching from the portside he was patroling right field and always turned in a creditable performance for the Sons. He gave his best at all times and the boys who played with him certainly appreciated his efforts. At times he was driven to the showers—the best pitchers in the world get that signal during their careers—but most of the time the manager wouldn't take him out of the game, he would send him to outfield duty because he was a good one and not bad at all when it came to hitting in the pinches.

His name, ladies and gentlemen, was Roy Haines, who was reported among the missing after air operations overseas in the latest list released from the nation's capital. For several years Roy roamed around the Athletic Park as a member of the Sons; raced up and down the Victoria High School gymnasium as a member of the Duncan basketball team and played several games of inter-city golf against local shotmakers as a member of the Cowichan Club. From this sports department we still hope that he is just "missing" and that's all, for the ex-school teacher was popular in this city; he had a fine personality and made friends wherever he went. Many a time I matched divots with him at Colwood and the Gorge Vale courses, and the last time I saw him was just before he headed for overseas when he dropped into this office to say "Hello."

His former teammates such as Kim Campbell, Colin Campbell, Bill Holman, Jack Bacon, Roy Barnes, Cliff Hilton, Jack Noble, Jack Curtis, Johnny Craig and several others are hoping, like us, for the best.

ODDS AND ENDS

It looks as if the Victoria Machinery Depot hockey squad will be amongst the missing when the play-off berths are dished out in the Vancouver Island League. Dropping that game to the Clippers from Nanaimo last Monday evening did not bolster their chances any; as a matter of fact, it left them in a very precarious position . . . Nanaimo strengthened their hopes of finishing in the first four by that decision and, if you glance at the standings, it appears that the Navy, Army, Air Force and the Clippers are in and the shipbuilders are just about out . . . Connie King boosted his scoring average the other night at the expense of the Up-Islanders by gathering up three assists as his mates went down to defeat . . . Tonight at the Willows it will be the R.C.A.F. vs. Navy and that should be a real hockey game, if there ever was one. I will take the Esquimalt bluejackets to win the verdict by two goals to spare, and don't say I didn't tell you so . . . Remember when the Cook-Boucher-Cook combination, one of hockey's greatest forward lines, was broken up seven years ago today when Bill Cook moved back on New York Rangers' defence? The trio—Bill and Fred Cook and Frankie Boucher—had teamed up for ten years and created an all-time scoring mark of more than 1,100 points . . . Also it was fifty-two years ago tomorrow when Bob Fitzsimmons stopped Jack Dempsey, "The Nonpareil," at New Orleans thereby winning the world's middleweight boxing crown. He stepped into the heavyweight division and climbed to the top in 1897 with a fourteen-round knockout over James J. Corbett. He was dethroned in 1899 by James J. Jeffries. Four years later, Fitzsimmons won his third title, light-heavyweight honors. He passed away in 1918. Prior to his death he visited Victoria with the Pantages circuit.

HENRY'S COMEBACK

One unfortunate point about Henry Armstrong's comeback campaign is that the old gentleman cannot make any money unless he plays with rough boys. Everybody, of course, realizes that it is very cynical and repulsive to suggest that money has anything to do with the comeback of this great, but slightly shopworn, athlete. Little Henry would have the public believe that his motive is loftier than that; he wants to win back one or more of his championships. According to the Armstrong sales talk, victory on the field of honor is nothing to speak about, and the cash returns are purely incidental.

One way or another, though, it comes to the same thing. To make money or to win championships, he has got to mingle with dangerous characters. In his last two important fights before retiring a couple of years ago, Mr. Armstrong was badly mauled by Fritzie Zivic. His eyesight was said to be in jeopardy, and Henry did not deny it. Even after doctors excavated scar tissue from above his eyes, he remained in retirement, appearing to accept the fact that once a fighter turns thirty his vitamins do not always answer to their names when called.

Now the former king of three fight divisions has been ordered by the doctors to rest up for at least two months before he ever thinks of stepping into the resin corner again. He had a date with another colored chap named Beau Jack, who is recognized as the lightweight champion by the National Boxing Association, but that has been postponed indefinitely, or until the doctors give Henry the green light again.

However, Armstrong's comeback has been remarkable, to say the least. He has jumped a flock of hurdles as he climbed up the fistic ladder, taking on all comers en route. If he doesn't win back one of his titles, he most likely will call it a day.

Bruins Increase Lead by Victory

Youngsters Pave Way for 3-0 Decision Over Chicago Black Hawks in Lone League Fixture—Four Points Ahead of Toronto Leafs—Two Games Tomorrow Night

LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Boston	14	9	6	103	89	34
Toronto	13	16	4	126	84	30
Detroit	11	6	7	85	67	29
Chicago	10	6	6	80	83	26
Canadiens	8	13	5	85	107	21
Rangers	7	16	4	83	122	18

Last Night's Score

Boston 3, Chicago 0.

Next Games

Thursday—Chicago at Canadiens, Detroit at Rangers.

BOSTON, Jan. 12 (AP) — The "sprout line" accounted for all of the scoring as Boston Bruins shut out Chicago Black Hawks, 3-0, tonight in the second of their four Red Cross benefit games before 8,170 at the Boston Garden.

As a result, the Bruins lengthened their National Hockey League lead to two full games over the idle Toronto Maple Leafs and Goalie Frankie Brimsek recorded his first whitewashing job of the season.

All of the "sprouts"—as youngsters Bep Guidolin, Don Gallinger and Jack Schmidt are known around the circuit—shared in the goalmaking. Guidolin beat Goalie Bert Gardiner twice, in the second period, and Gallinger opened the scoring during the last minute of first-period action.

The first of Guidolin's tallies was on the flukey side. The Black Hawks put on one of their most threatening drives when he drew a high-sticking penalty and they still were banging at Brimsek from close range when his two minutes' sentence expired.

Just as Guidolin jumped from the box, little Mush March, aiming at Brimsek, bashed the puck off Busher Jackson's shins. The rubber sailed high into centre ice, almost on Guidolin's stick, and he, with his head start on his pursuers, had little difficulty beating Gardiner from close range.

Shortly after, Guidolin scored a backhander after taking Gallinger's pass-out about five feet in front of the Chicago cage. Gallinger's scoring shot was almost a duplicate, the only difference being that Schmidt batted the puck from behind the Chicago net.

The crowd provided gate receipts of $10,824, thereby boosting the Bruins' two-game benefit total to $17,275. They also will give the receipts of a February game with Toronto and a March engagement with New York Rangers to the Red Cross.

Boston's initial shutout may be a costly affair, for late in the first period, Captain Dit Clapper, the veteran defenceman, was forced to retire with a torn cartilage on the end of his breastbone, an injury that may sideline him for some time.

LINE-UPS

Boston—Brimsek; Clapper, Hollett, Cowley; Boll, A Jackson. Subs: Chamberlain, H. Jackson, Cain, Crawford, Shewchuk, Gallinger, Guidolin, Schmidt.

Chicago — Gardiner; Balbert, Tuten; Thoms; March, Hamill. Subs: R Bentley, Mitchell, Purpur, Wiebe, Johnson, Allen, Carse, D Bentley.

Referee, Clancy, linesmen, Smith and Cleary.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Boston, Gallinger (Schmidt-Guidolin), 19 15. Penalties: Boll, Mitchell.

Second Period—2, Boston, Guidolin, 6.35, 3, Boston, Guidolin (Gallinger-Schmidt), 11 29. Penalties: Guidolin, Gallinger, Wiebe.

Third Period—No scoring. Penalty, March.

All Set for Tonight's Hockey Fixture

TRIO of Royal Canadian Air Force puckchasers, who will see action this evening at the Willows Arena, when the Flyers step on the ice to oppose the league-leading Royal Canadian Navy squad in an important Vancouver Island Senior Amateur Hockey League fixture. Sailors have a single point advantage over the second-place Army team, and will be out to improve their lead in the race for league honors. Air Force, three points behind the soldiers, will consolidate their hold on third berth with a victory. Flyers will trot out Burdette, former Eastern junior star, as centre on the Cook and Verity line, and will have all their regulars on deck with the exception of Stan King, who is out with a fractured right wrist. Bluejackets will be minus the services of hard-driving Jack Tomson, defence star and his position will be filled by Willie Schmidt, formerly of the Saskatoon Quakers. Face-off is billed for 8 30 o'clock. There has been a brisk demand for tickets, and league officials anticipate a good turnout for what gives every indication of being quite a battle. The players pictured above, left to right, are Wilf Cook, Paul Platz and Jimmie Lowe.

Seven Players Are Chosen First Time

Baseball Writers' Association Announces Its All-Star Major League Team for Last Season—Many New Faces Gain Places—DiMaggio, Williams and Slaughter Is Outfield

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 12 (AP)—Featuring seven players selected for the first time, the annual major league All-Star team, picked by 200 members of the Baseball Writers' Association, was announced today by The Sporting News.

Two of the All-Stars, Johnny Pesky and Tex Hughson, had the distinction of being chosen after their first full season in the big leagues.

The voting also brought belated recognition to Johnny Mize, Enos Slaughter and Mickey Owen, acclaimed the sophomore success of Ernie Bonham and marked the emergence of Morton Cooper as one of the best pitchers in baseball.

With Bobby Feller and Cecil Travis in military service last season, baseball writers made virtually a clean sweep of the 1941 All-Stars by turning out three Brooklyn players, Pete Reiser, Dolph Camilli and Whitlow Wyatt, as well as Billy Dickey, of New York Yankees, and Thornton Lee, of Chicago White Sox.

Honors for 1942 went to six players from the American League and five from the National, including three each from the Yankees and Boston Red Sox, two from St. Louis Cardinals and one each from the Dodgers, Chicago Cubs and New York Giants.

The line-up and season records:

First Base—Johnny Mize, New York Giants .305.

Second Base—Joe Gordon, New York Yankees, .322.

Shortstop—Johnny Pesky, Boston Red Sox .331.

Third Base—Stan Hack, Chicago Cubs, .300.

Left Field—Ted Williams, Boston Red Sox, .356.

Centre Field—Joe DiMaggio, New York Yankees, .305.

Right Field—Enos Slaughter, St. Louis Cardinals, .318.

Catcher—Mickey Owen, Brooklyn Dodgers .259.

Pitchers—Morton Cooper, St. Louis Cardinals 22-7, Ernie Bonham, New York 21-5, and Tex Hughson, Boston Red Sox, 22-6.

DiMaggio was selected for the sixth straight year, but, after being a unanimous choice three times previously, he finished fourth in the total vote with 210. Gordon topped the list with 256, followed by Cooper with 250 and Williams with 247.

Williams and Gordon were named on the team for the fourth time, and Hack edged in for the third time by nosing out Ken Keltner, of Cleveland Indians, 95 votes to 91.

Ball Clubs Looking For Training Spots

Major League Teams Still Searching for Grounds To Do Spring Training in—Some of Clubs Have Chosen Definite Fields to Workout

By WHITNEY MARTIN
Associated Press Sport Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP)—The Major League baseball clubs have been bouncing around like a pinball in their efforts to find suitable training sites in the North, and the way they have been dodging their home towns gives the impression they are afraid to show themselves before the local fans before it is absolutely necessary.

Some of them might be, at that, for if the fans got a preview of a team like the Phils they might be somewhat disillusioned, if possible, and the opening day would find an overflowing crowd, particularly if both customers stopped at too many bars along the way.

Anyway, the first question that pops into the mind when it is known the teams must train in the North is "Why don't they train in their own parks, then?" and on the surface it does seem a little silly for a team to pick a site a comparatively few miles away, where weather conditions are practically identical. The Athletics, for instance, are going to train at Wilmington, Del., and when it rains or snows at Wilmington there is a fair chance it will rain or snow at Philadelphia.

However, there is an overlooked factor that prompts teams to ignore their own parks when choosing a camp. That is the parks themselves and the effect of the training routine on the playing surface.

USED FOR FOOTBALL

Most Major League parks are used for football in the Fall and when football teams get through with them the infields and outfields look as if they had been used as a proving ground for tanks.

Consequently, the orchards take a lot of manicuring in the Spring, and to try to get them in shape with three or four dozen wild buffalo galloping over them every day would be something of a problem.

Cincinnati has its own peculiar problem as they would have to set out buoys on occasion to find the bases, and only timely intervention saved Secretary Gabe Paul from a watery grave in centrefield when Pitcher Lee Grissom insisted on dunking him over the side of a rowboat during one of the periodic floods.

There are other factors. One is the fact that there is a better chance of obtaining hotel accommodation at figures the clubs are willing to pay.

It is highly probable clubs were given pretty low rates at their California and Florida inns, as the concession would be made in the interests of advertising.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP)—New York Giants announced today that they will train at Lakewood, N.J., laying out a practice diamond on the golf course that is part of the former John D Rockefeller estate there.

The Giant's base is about ninety-five miles from New York, slightly farther from New York than Asbury Park N.J. the seashore resort which the Yankees chose yesterday.

LORNE CARR STILL TOPS

Toronto Sniper Setting Pace For National League Hockey Scorers

MONTREAL, Jan. 12 (CP)—Sniper Lorne Carr, of Toronto Maple Leafs, still heads the list of National Hockey League sharpshooters, official statistics showed today, but his teammates, Syl Apps and Bill Taylor, have fallen back a pace into a third place tie.

Carr's nineteen goals and eighteen assists give him top rating with thirty-seven points. Displacing Apps and Taylor, Bill Cowley, of Boston Bruins, slipped into the second spot with thirty-six, based on nine goals and twenty-seven assists. Apps and Taylor each have thirty-five points, made up of nineteen goals and sixteen assists for Apps and eleven goals and twenty-four assists for Taylor.

Jimmy Orlando of Detroit Red Wings, stepped into the lead for the league's "bad man" honors with thirty-seven minutes spent in the penalty box, not to mention two ten-minute misconducts and a match penalty in addition.

The leaders:

	G.	A.	Pts.	Pen in Mins
Carr, Toronto	16	18	37	8
Cowley, Boston	9	27	36	8
Apps, Toronto	19	16	35	2
Taylor, Toronto	11	24	35	0
Patrick, Rangers	11	22	33	26
Boll, Boston	19	13	32	16
G. Stewart, Toronto	16	13	31	14†
M. Bentley, Chicago	13	18	31	2
O'Connor, Canadiens	8	22	30	3
D. Bentley, Chicago	14	15	29	6
Blake, Canadiens	13	16	29	10*
Howe, Detroit	16	13	28	6
Benoit, Canadiens	13	18	28	18
Hextall, Rangers	16	11	27	14
A. Jackson, Boston	12	15	27	6
Hill, Toronto	10	17	27	25*
Pratt, Rang-Tor'nto	7	20	27	20
Bruneteau, Detroit	14	12	26	2
Goldup, Tor-Rang	6	17	26	6
Drillon, Canadiens	15	10	25	2*

*Misconduct.
†Match

Varsity Selects Fifteen Ruggers For Tussle Here

VANCOUVER, Jan. 12 (CP)—Coach Maury McPhee tonight announced the line-up of the Varsity team that will oppose Victoria Reps in the McKechnie Cup English Rugby game at Victoria Saturday. Following is the selected team: Paul Jagger fullback, Bill Clarke, Don Rolston, Doug Reid, Fred Lindsay, three quarters; Jack McKercher, five-eighths; John Wheeler, half back; Frank Ekman, Al Narod, Alex Jones, Don Johnston, Gerry Lockheart, Hunter Wood, Bill Orr or Ranji Mattu, Bob Farris, forwards.

BASEBALL FIGURE DIES SUDDENLY

CHICAGO, Jan. 12 (AP)—William J. (Billy) Webb, forty-seven, director of Chicago White Sox's farm and former coach of the Sox, died following a heart attack today at the wheel of his automobile within a block of Comiskey Park.

Webb, a gifted third baseman, never was a star in the major leagues, but played for nineteen years in the minors. A native of Chicago, he started his professional baseball career with Duluth, of the Northern League, in 1916. He later played second, third and shortstop for Birmingham, of the Southern League, Newark, Toronto and Buffalo, of the International League, and Binghampton, of the New York-Pennsylvania League.

Webb served as manager for Buffalo in 1924 and 1925, Binghampton in 1930 and Galveston in the Texas League in 1933 and 1934.

In 1935 he was appointed coach of Chicago White Sox. In 1936 he was made director of the White Sox farm system.

ATTRACTS BIG CROWD

CHICAGO, Jan. 12 (AP)—Despite gasoline ration, attendance records have been set at the Chicago Stadium where double-header basketball games, National Hockey League matches and an ice show have attracted 335,000 customers since December 20.

It's the greatest attendance over a comparable length of time that the stadium has had since being built in 1929, officials said.

BOWLING

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Team No. 5—D Edge, 381, G Patrall, 468, C Jones, 343, S Robertson, 334, C Taylor, 363. Total, 2,323.
Team No. 4—J Parmiter, 475, G Empey, 433, G Patrall, 400, S Willey, 323, L Simpson, 441. Total, 2,150.
Team No. 2 won two.

Team No. 1—Bert Gardiner, 491, Al Wesley, 583, Mac Lew, 637, Marge Delmestro, 477. Total, 2,190.
Team No. 3—V Martin, 409, M Turner, 584, E Collins, 600, A Priestley, 551. Total, 2,160.
Team No. 1 won two.

Team No. 8—W Stewart, 413, M Attwell, 282, C Shaw, 345, R Justice, 388, M Waldron, 527. Total, 2,131.
Team No. 6—B Warner, 374, & Fosaire, 317, M Seager, 672, A Leambert, 423, J McGowan, 485. Total, 2,071.
Team No. 8 won two.

V.M.D. LEAGUE

Stores and Electricians—H White, 5?6, D Kissenger, 617, D McKinney, 375, D Lewis, 178, L Buchanan, 488, K Steer, 346, handicap, 105. Total, 2,971.
Riggers—W McBay, 573, W Allen, 537, J Wallace, 480, George Valiant, 398, D Little, 433, handicap, 106. Total, 2,987.
Stores and Electricians won two.

Welders—Faber, 530, H. Cornish, 683, C Lewis, 303, Travis, 413, R. Easton, 306, handicap, 177. Total, 2,731.
Plant No. 1—P Thomas, 420, & Stinson, 473, D Greenwood, 462, J McConacy, 431, H Gibson, 586, handicap, 240. Total, 2,584.
Welders won two.

Fitters—D Watson, 435, J Hodgson, 296, A Dougan, 473, C. Shillito, 539, & McLaughlin, 303, B. Bone, 159, low score, 140, handicap, 33. Total, 2,378.
Caulkers—D Weber, 541, K Browne, 400, J Ford, 193, J McKay, 379, S Barwell, 573, C Vasharesse, 378, S Boone, 138, handicap, 114. Total, 2,787.
Caulkers won three.

Riveters—T Wormald, 439, & Frost, 534, C. McLaughlin, 313, J Wann, 331, W Shoulice, 411, P Walsh, 647, handicap, 38. Total, 2,682.
The Loft—E Lalonde, 407, & Hetherington, 530, J Anderson, 497, W Edmonds, 509, W McKinnon, 545, handicap, 180. Total, 2,797.
Riveters won two.

Cranes—J Wills, 518, A Ash, 501, H Talbot, 493, W Nelson, 614, C Ainsworth, 519, handicap, 198. Total, 2,899.
Slagers—N Limer, 388, J Nasel, 485, H Porter, 400, S Travelle, 518, O Leal, 117, H Derkson, 330, handicap, 199, Total, 2,423.
Cranes won three.

WOMEN LAWN BOWLERS

Go-Getters—Mrs Wallace, 417, O Halbain, 443, Mrs. Stock, 392, Mrs Wilson, 406, handicap, 177. Total, 1,795.
Merry Macs — F McDowell, 148, C Juneet, 326, P Phillips, 340, & Ray, 439, handicap, 278. Total, 1,317.
Merry Macs won two.

Owls—Mrs Peddie, 434, Mrs Plaa, 468, Mrs Milne, 404, Mrs. Upward, 381, handicap, 248. Total, 1,438.
Warblers—E Jeffray, 436, D Thompson, 824, A Coope, 337, low score, 420, handicap, 144. Total, 1,878.
Owls won three.

Victories—P Blackstock, 610, W Birnie, 217, O Butterfield, 387, V Troeman, 438, handicap, 227. Total, 2,001.
Kola Bears—B Hackwood, 318, F Duncan, 338, low score, 383, low score, 467, handicap, 100. Total, 1,664.
Victories won three.

Bees—L Stewart, 450, E Douglas, 463, E Terry, 407, low score, 388, handicap, 174. Total, 1,848.
Alley Cats—D Hurry, 473, M Prince, 400, A Wallace, 448, F McLeod, 343, handicap, 240. Total, 1,882.
Bees won two.

COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Pippins—W Bentley, 368, M Polden, 476, H I'Anson, 468, & Latham, 405, J. Latham, 390, handicap, 190. Total, 2,007.
Woolworths—A Hamilton, 489, W Bude, 379, V Letica, 271, R. Glover, 637, low score, 484, handicap, 99. Total, 2,390.
Pippins won three.

Doodits—L Hughes, 386, T Cole, 462, J Jeffer, 518, P North, 530, D. McCaig, 985, handicap, 15. Total, 2,894.
Rendall Radio—D & Banfield, 570, & Ledson, 583, S. W Birth, 425, E de Castonier, 103, J de Castonier, 486, L. Sheret, 414, handicap, 402. Total, 2,881.
Doodits won two.

Dreamliners—M White, 418, M Bent, 405, D Leckie, 531, E Orobo, 378, H. Burrey, 618, handicap, 51. Total, 2,382.
Times No. 1—K Travers, 683, & Campbell, 420, C Travers, 565, H Campbell, 600, J Green, 483, handicap, 31. Total, 3,182.
Times No. 2 won three.

DEPARTMENT OF MUNITIONS AND SUPPLY LEAGUE

Copeep—V Watts, 445, I. McNamara, 312, U. Dingwall, 418, E Micheum, 415, R Lepine, 475, handicap, 330. Total, 2,397.
Priorities—J Arnott, 701, R Ashby, 368, Greig, 304, N Donaghe, 411, low score, 429. Total, 2,471.
Priorities won two.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL MATCHES SUNDAY

Top berth in the Sunday Football League will be at stake this week-end at Bullen Park, when Esquimalt United and Canadian Artillery School of Instruction, winners of last week's fixtures, meet. Dockers turned back R.A.F. 8-1, and the Gunners eked out a 3-1 verdict over the Capitals in opening league fixtures.

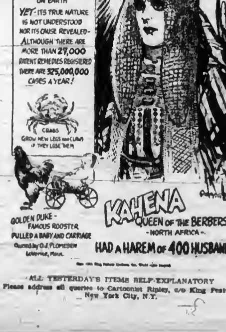
At Heywood Avenue, Royal Air Force will be at home to the Capitals, with rival elevens striving for their initial points in the revised fixture list.

Danny Glancy will handle the whistle at Esquimalt, and Beech will be in charge at Heywood Avenue. Kick-offs are set for 2 45 o'clock.

FOOTBALL MEETING

Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football League clubs are reminded of tonight's meeting at St. Louis College at 7 30 o'clock. Team managers are asked to attend and bring along their registration forms.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . By Ripley



ALL YESTERDAY'S ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY
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Canadian Sport Snapshots

First Hockey Nets Used in Canadian Hockey Was in 1899, Sports Writer Discovers—Montrealers in Need of Another Sprague Cleghorn—Incident Is Repeated

By CHARLES EDWARDS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO, Jan. 12 (CP)—Frank Power, of The Halifax Herald, takes issue with the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association finding that the first hockey nets to be used in Canada were introduced in Montreal during the Winter of 1899 by W. A. Hewitt, now Ontario Hockey Association secretary. Power says the first nets used in Canada were introduced in the old Empire Rink in Halifax on January 6, 1899, in a game between Wanderers and Crescents. The first to score in the nets, he says, was Fred J. (Brownie) Mahar, of Halifax.

WANTED: A CLEGHORN

Manager Dick Irvin has received advice by the car load that Montreal Canadiens of the National Hockey League need another good defenceman. All this good advice prompted Irvin to tell Elmer (Montreal Herald) Ferguson of a scouting trip Frank Patrick made to the Coast last season. On the train Patrick met a rabid Canadien fan who took the club apart verbally and said: "You ought to get another defenceman like Sprague Cleghorn."

"You're right," answered Patrick. "But where are you going to find another Sprague Cleghorn?"

"Ah!" said the fan, pointing a dramatic finger at Patrick. "That's your job."

THE EXPERT SAYS:

Commenting on rumors that Gordon Drillon has been a disappointment to Montreal Canadiens this season, Ken (Edmonton Journal) McConnell writes: "It is said that Art Ross of Boston Bruins, is interested in getting the great sharpshooter. Might be a real break for Drillon. Ross has a way with hockeyists. Look at the Bruins of today."

Johnny Gottselig, chief scout and general handyman for Chicago Black Hawks, expects to tour Western Canada late this month to look over the new crop of hockey talent . . . John (Pop) Poplowski, who scored the touchdown that won the Canadian football championship for Toronto R.C.A.F. Hurricanes in December, is an accomplished cartoonist . . . With Spring training in Southern climes banned by the major baseball leagues, The Welland-Port Colborne Tribune suggests some of the professional clubs be invited to train in St. Catharines and Niagara Falls, Ont. "After all it would be one way of putting to the test that radiocaster's blah blah about St. Catharines being the Miami of Canada."

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ANGOTT MAY BATTLE JACK

Former Shoe Shiner to Tackle Ex-Champion in Lightweight Division

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP).—Things being what they are in the lightweight department, it is a pleasure to report that affairs are due to be straightened out in the next three months.

This would be the result of the proposed match between Beau Jack, the Georgia shoe-shine boy, and Sammy Angott, the man with the miracle hands, who has just announced his comeback.

At this writing there is more than an outside chance that the National Boxing Association and the New York State Athletic Commission, which have been doing most of the fighting in the 135-pound division in recent months, might both be inclined, sooner or later, to give blessings.

Promoter Mike Jacobs has met both Angott and Jack and is trying to arrange a bout for them some time in March or April.

One hopeful sign in the set-up came today when the New York Commission's elimination tournament to decide a challenger for Jack's piece of the title came close to collapsing of its own weight. General John J. Phelan and his co-commissioners themselves eliminated all but two of the eliminators—Philadelphia Bob Montgomery and Joey Peralta, the bronc-busting Mexican from Arizona by way of Tamaqua, Pa.

Two others—Slugger White, of Baltimore, and Juan Zurita, of Los Angeles—were given the commission brush-off because they failed to post the $1,000 forfeit which officials decreed was necessary. Maxie Shapiro was removed because of illness and failed to fulfill a match he had slated for a week ago. The commission, which recognizes Jack as champion, also asked Jacob's matchmaker, Nat Rogers, to appear next week with a date for a Peralta-Montgomery meeting.

The N.B.A., meantime, is sitting tight and smiling wisely, for it left its championship vacant after Angott "retired for keeps" last Fall with a pair of badly injured hands.

President Abe Green, pointing out that Jack is rated the N.B.A.'s "leading contender" and Angott has never been beaten "at the weight," the N.B.A. would not mind tabbing a bout between the two for the title.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP).—George Corcoran, the Greensboro, N.C., golf pro, suggests that golf clubs should be classified as health clubs rather than as amusement centres now that Easterners aren't allowed to use gas for amusement . . . George figures that most golfers are hunting exercise and relaxation rather than entertainment . . . Come to think of it, we've frequently heard "health" mentioned at the nineteenth hole—accompanied by a bending motion of the elbow that must provide a certain amount of exercise . . . Gas rationing, too, is a reason why eighty-eight fewer teams entered the Iowa State high school boys' basketball tournament this year, cutting the total to only 835.

Sports Editor H. Guy Moats of The Pontiac (Mich.) Daily Press, claims the record for picking the Bowl football games correctly. He not only called Georgia, Texas, Alabama, Tennessee, Second Air Force and the Eastern All-Stars to win, but even picked Texas College over Tuskegee.

When the Maryland University and Coast Guard Academy boxing teams clashed the other night, the coaches picked Eddie La Pond, whose Catholic University team meets both later in the season, as referee . . . They figured it was a smart move because (a) Eddie is a good referee, who also works in pro fights, and (b) he wouldn't be able to do much scouting because he couldn't take notes while working.

Sunday night's 14,400 N.H.L. crowd at Boston, a record for the current season, did not allay Boston Bruins' fears about the immediate future . . . "That doesn't mean a thing," Manager Art Ross maintains. "What hockey fans wouldn't walk miles to see the Bruins tangle with the Maple Leafs? We'll know what to expect after we count the house at Tuesday's Red Cross benefit game with Chicago."

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP).—When this business of trying to train baseball clubs in the frigid North first came up, we asked Hugh Fullerton, Sr., about it, since Pop's baseball experience goes back to when Southern trips were something of a novelty . . . "I remember listening to Anson, Ryan, Burns and Mike Kelly tell about training in the snow banks on the lake front park at Chicago," Pop writes, "and how Mike shoveled snow and practised hook slides into the snow at second . . . We trained at some funny places: Waycross, Ga. (where we were chased out of town after one week and went to Savannah), Hot Springs, Kansas City, New Orleans, Selma, Ala.; Galveston, Shreveport . . . One Spring Chicago went to West Baden, Ind., for ten days, then at the University of Illinois, and was in fine shape when it started barnstorming . . . The best-conditioned club I ever saw trained from Hudson, N.M., and hardly saw a baseball until a week before the season started, merely rode horses, climbed mountains and ran around the desert. They were eager to play ball when the season started—maybe this will cure a lot of bunk."

A COOL CUSTOMER

One guy who (like Joe Dimaggio) didn't have to worry about Spring training, Pop reports, was a big pitcher named Rog Denzier, who lived in Minnesota when the Cubs bought him. Rog didn't report for training and didn't answer letters, so a scout was sent after him. Arriving on a sub-zero day—after nearly freezing on the way to Denzier's farm because the liveryman thought it was too cold to take a horse out, the scout was directed to the barn—there he found Rog, in his undershirt, pitching at a sack of bran and cutting loose with all his speed. "In July of that year," Pop adds, "Rog complained that he was a hot weather pitcher and couldn't work well on chilly days."

SPRING BRAINING

Another idea from the same course is that most of the feuds within baseball clubs start from Spring boredom. "Most of the players are sick of ball before the season starts, sick of exhibitions and anxious to start real play. When they have too much time on their hands, they form factions that break up clubs. The fights that occur during the playing season are flareups of anger, those of Spring training are active hates."

CASTILLOUX WILL FACE YOUNGSTER

MONTREAL, Jan. 12 (CP).—L.A.C. Dave Castilloux will meet Johnny Greco, eighteen-year-old Montreal boy, in a Verdun auditorium March 13, with the Canadian lightweight title at stake. It was announced today.

The bout will be staged by a combined committee of Navy, Army and R.C.A.F. officials, for the benefit of Czecho-Slovak soldiers training in Canada.

Castilloux meets Pte. Al Lust in Edmonton at the end of this month in a non-title welterweight bout. Greco expects to join the army shortly.

MUSTO WINS VERDICT

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP).—Tony Musto, the "baby tank" from Chicago who once had the pleasure of going nine rounds with Joe Louis, tonight outpointed Herbie Katz, of New York, in ten rounds of bristling brawling before some 3,500 fans at the Broadway Arena. Musto weighed 197½, Katz 173½.

Joey Gambaro took advantage of several inches in reach to outpoint Joe Genovese of Montreal in a six-round boxing bout. Gambaro weighed 135½, Genovese 132.

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WANTS COLLINS ADDED TO LIST

Sports Editor Nominates Old-Time Third Baseman For Hall of Fame

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP).—Although baseball's hall of fame at Cooperstown has enshrined twenty-six of the game's immortals, it still lacks a third baseman.

Bob Stedler, veteran sports editor of The Buffalo (N.Y.) Evening News, opened a formal campaign this week to bring about the election of his fellow townsman, James J. (Jimmy) Collins, famous third baseman of the 1890's and early 1900's.

Collins played nineteen years in the big leagues—with Boston Braves and Red Sox and Philadelphia Athletics—and in Stedler's judgment revolutionised the art of guarding the "hot corner." While with the Boston Nationals he was the first third baseman to stop the deadly bunting game of Baltimore Orioles, led by McGraw, Keeler and Jennings.

During his career he was the leading fielder in his position in both the National and American Leagues and in five seasons he batted well over .300. In 1898, when his batting average was .337, he collected fifteen home runs to lead the National League. They had a dead ball in those days.

FROM THE PRESS BOX

Auker—Dead Trade

By JOHN LARDNER

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Until Mr. Elden Auker, the under-handed (no offence) pitcher, makes up his mind about playing ball next year, we will just have to wait and see what happens to the deal by which the St. Louis Browns tried to send him to Washington in return for Mr. Paul "Daffy" Dean.

Meanwhile, let us pin the ribbon of the order of long-shot players on the chest of Donald Barnes, Brown president. Squire Barnes was certainly in there plunging.

This is a nice and by no means familiar characteristic in a baseball magnate. Mr. Auker, the submariner, has been the strong man of the Brown pitching staff for three years. He is no genius, but he meant fifteen wins a year for the Brownies as regular as breathing, and the Browns were in no position to dispense with that kind of service.

Last Summer, however, Squire Barnes' team caught fire—one-alarm stuff, perhaps, but still a discernible conflagration. With youth and power in the batting order, the Browns moved up to third place. And when Squire Barnes looked over his form charts and dope sheets at the end of the year he thought he saw a chance for a big parlay, a Killing, in 1943.

DEPENDS ON AUKER

His team trailed the Yankees and Red Sox home last season. This year the Yanks and Sox will suffer important losses in manpower, while the Browns do not figure to be badly hurt. Squire Barnes has spotted an opening along the rail, and he is trying to grab it.

The squire may get through, or he may be blocked off and fall out of the race entirely. The trade of Auker for Dean is one of the gambles that go to make up the large gamble.

It may fall through if Mr. Auker holds to his recent threat to quit baseball. If he changes his mind and Paul Dean comes to St. Louis, Squire Barnes and the Browns will be off and running on their long-shot venture.

Mr. Dean is a gentleman whose left arm never knows what his right arm is doing. In fact, nobody knows what Mr. Dean's right arm is doing. It is one of the most mysterious sections of buggy whip in modern history. Nine years ago it was a great baseball weapon. Since then, aside from intermittent flashes of strength, it has been useful chiefly as a lever to lift Mr. Dean's beef and potatoes from his plate to his mouth.

Squire Barnes seems to have reasoned, on the basis of some sprightly work in the Texas League last year, that Paul still has the old gift. If he has, he can be a star and a twenty-game winner, and that is the kind of thing the Browns need to win in 1943—not the old, steady, second division stuff. Of course, if Mr. Dean reverts to his normal form of the last few years, the Browns are stuck with a gold brick. In that case, the loss of men like Mr. Auker can send them right back to the second division.

UP IN THE SAME YEAR

There's a disposition to regard Mr. Auker as an octogenarian and Mr. Dean as an erratic young athlete, but actually these two men were pitching in the same world series almost nine years ago. This is the second time their paths have crossed.

The year 1934 was the first full year in the major leagues for both Dean and Auker. Their teams were teams of destiny—Auker pitched for the new and brilliant Detroit Tigers of black Mike Cochrane, Paul Dean for the celebrated gashouse gang of St. Louis. Both young pitchers did well during the season, and both were winners in the world series.

Paul won two games and lost none, beating Tommy Bridges and Schoolboy Rowe. Auker won one of Detroit's three victories, at the expense of the left-handed Willie Walker.

Auker, in the ensuing years, turned out to be a more valuable property than Dean, because he went on pitching, steadily and competently, while the spectacular brother of the spectacular Dizzy Dean developed more forms of arm trouble than were known to science. At his best, however, Paul Dean was a great pitcher, while Auker was never better than a good one. That is the size and shape of the long-shot gamble that Squire Barnes, of St. Louis, is trying to bring off today.

WHIRLAWAY NOW AT NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 12 (AP).—The management of the Fair Grounds, where Whirlaway and stablemates are coming from Miami to finish the season, announced today it will not seek extension of the current racing season here beyond its seventy-five day limit of March 8.

Felix W. Gaudin, of the Fair Grounds Board, said, however, assistance will be given charitable organizations which might seek a grant of additional time for the Attorney-General to stage benefit races. Under the new state racing laws, the season is limited to seventy-five racing days in one calendar year.

BENTLEY LAID UP

CHICAGO, Jan. 12 (AP).—Max Bentley, one of Chicago Black Hawks chief scorers, was at home with a cracked thumb as his team prepared to play the first of three road hockey games tonight at Boston with its all-Bentley brother line broken up for the first time. Max cracked his right thumb on Sunday night in the Hawk-Detroit game.

BASKETBALL GAMES

Two junior boys' basketball games will be played this evening at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium. K.V.'s and Fairfield will meet at 8 o'clock, to be followed one hour later by a game between St. Louis College and Y.M.C.A.

THAT EXPLAINS IT

The young man from town was strolling round the farm when he noticed a pretty girl milking a cow in a field.

"Are there any bulls round here?" he asked.

"Only that one over there," said the girl sweetly.

The young man glanced round apprehensively. His eye caught the baleful glare of the bull. The bull stared. The young man stared. Next moment the bull gave a snort and started to charge. With a yell of warning to the girl, the young man fled across the field, jumped the ditch and flung himself through the hedge.

Wondering how the girl had fared, he was surprised to see her still calmly milking the cow, while the bull was sauntering shamefacedly away.

"Why didn't you run when I yelled?" he asked. "The bull might not have stopped."

"I knew he'd stop," retorted the girl scornfully. "This cow happens to be his mother-in-law!"

AMATEUR HOCKEY

(By The Canadian Press)

National Defence Hockey League (Ottawa)—Service Corps 7, Medicals 5; Staff Clerks 9, Ordnance 2.

O.H.A. Intermediate "A"—Exeter 6, Clinton 3; Seaforth 8, Goderich 2.

Manitoba Junior (South Division)—St. James 7, Portage la Prairie 5 (overtime).

Saskatchewan Senior — Regina Army 8, Saskatoon R.C.A.F. 2.

Mainland (B.C.) Senior—St. Regis 7, Air Force 5; Army 5, New Westminster Spitfires 5.

FORMER ATHLETE NAMED

OTTAWA, Jan. 12 (CP). — The Defence Department today announced appointment of Captain J. I. (Hud) Stewart, former Toronto athlete, as sports officer at National Defence headquarters.

Captain Stewart has been auxiliary officer for Petawawa (Ont.) Military Camp where he is succeeded by Captain John Robbins, of Toronto.

Captain Stewart graduated from Osgoode Hall, in Toronto, in 1939. He has held University of Toronto and Ontario provincial track records and has been on inter-collegiate championship teams in boxing and track and field events. He also played Rugby and lacrosse in Toronto.

WHERE SHE BULGES

The diameter of the earth from pole to pole is about twenty-seven miles less than that at the equator.

SUPERMAN *Quiz Kid* By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

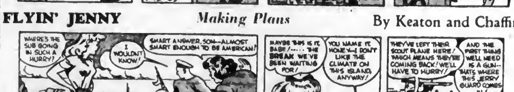
MARY WORTH'S FAMILY By Dale Allen

POPEYE

MUTT AND JEFF *I Agree, There's No Sense to This* By Bud Fisher

POP *How True!* By J. Millar Watt

FLYIN' JENNY *Making Plans* By Keaton and Chaffin



THE NEBBS *A Desperate Choice* By HESS

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At 12:30, 3:30, 6:30, 8:20
WHAT A RIDE SHE GAVE THE MAJOR! WHAT LAUGHS SHE GAVE THE CROWD!
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"Popular Science" in Technicolor
"JASPER AND THE CHOO CHOO"
Cartoon in Color — World News
With Lynn Overman, Albert Dekker, Eugene Pallette
Capitol

TODAY and THURSDAY
At 1:35, 3:10, 6:35, 9:40
THE YEAR'S MOST GRIPPING MYSTERY THRILLER!
'EYES IN THE NIGHT'
WITH EDWARD ARNOLD ANN HARDING
AND 'FRIDAY' DARING EYE WONDER DOG
PLUS "FROM NUTHOUSE TO DUABOHOUSE" At 12:15, 2:35, 5:40, 8:55
"TRAMP TRAMP TRAMP" With BORRAH MINEVITCH
DOMINION

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Plaza · Oak Bay
ENTIRELY CANADIAN · OWNED & OPERATED
STARTS AT 1:34, 4:18, 7:02, 9:36
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ENDS TODAY
Nightmare
BRIAN DONLEVY · DIANA BARRYMORE
NOW
ADDED—ANDY DEVINE, DICK FORAN, LEO CARRILLO in "Road Agent"
OAK BAY EVES 6:30

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ENDS TODAY
12:30-2:00 - - - 15c
2:00-7:00 - - - 20c
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"A WOMAN'S FACE"
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"SON OF FURY"

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"MAISIE GETS HER MAN"
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"GRAND CENTRAL MURDER"
VAN HEFLIN · PATRICIA DANE
EVENINGS ONLY AT 6:30 and 8:15

PROMOTED CAPTAIN

Lieut. Ronald E. Roome of Duncan, has been promoted to the rank of captain, it has been announced at headquarters of Military District No. 13 in Calgary. Captain Roome is now stationed at A.20, R.C.A.S.C. Training Centre, Red Deer, Alta.

LABOR GROUPS SUBMIT BRIEF

Support Recommendations Of Sloan Report on Workmen's Compensation Act

Immediate revision of the Workmen's Compensation Act to include all recommendations proposed by Hon. Justice Gordon Sloan, sitting recently as a Royal Commissioner to investigate operations of the act, are urged in a legislative brief submitted to the Provincial Cabinet by representatives of all labor groups in British Columbia yesterday afternoon. Amendments to the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act were also asked.

"The report of Commissioner Sloan recommends the acceptance of the majority of the proposals for amendment to the act as submitted to him by various representatives of the workers," the brief stated.

The brief also drew to the attention of the Government "the pressing need of the introduction of either a separate department of the act or a separate act to provide for compensation against fatality or injury to those groups in the fishing industry not yet covered by the act."

Declaring the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act to be completely inadequate in meeting labor problems in British Columbia, the brief urged its complete revision "to embody the necessary fundamental principles that will end the delays and confusion now existing."

ACTION PROMISED

The delegation reported a favorable hearing and a promise by the Cabinet that both acts would be opened up at the forthcoming session.

Other recommendations regarding the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act included compulsory collective bargaining; banning of company unions; providing for either party in an industrial dispute to apply immediately for an arbitration board without going through the present conciliation procedure, at present compulsory, and reduction of time limits for arbitration.

WOULD RESTRICT ACTION

The Minister of Labor to have the sole right to grant or refuse an arbitration board; no court to have the power to enforce any award of a board; the Government to set up a permanent relations board with adequate labor representation; introduction of a health insurance scheme; distribution of educational material outlining suggestions for prevention of accidents in industry

TRADE SCHOOLS EXTENSION

Extension of the present programme of provincial training centres to include provision of schools for learning any trades; lowering of the qualifying age for old age pensions to sixty years and raising of payments to at least $30 a month plus cost-of-living bonus; distribution of municipal and Provincial grants to hospitals in proportion to the amount of free services each hospital gives; reduction of automobile licence fees

It would take 1,300,000 planets the size of the earth to equal the volume of the sun.

Commissioned In Dental Corps

CAPTAIN A. J. DORMAN

WHO has recently been appointed to a commission in the Canadian Dental Corps, was born in Victoria, and attended school both in Victoria and Vancouver, graduating from North Pacific Dental College Portland, Oregon, in 1924. He is married and has one daughter, who is attending Strathcona Lodge School. After graduating from dental college, Captain Dorman located in Greenwood, B.C., where he practiced dentistry for eighteen months, moving later to Kimberley, B.C., where he practiced until entering the service. Captain Dorman is attached for duty to the Western Air Command.

City & District

Broke Bottle—John C. McMillan pleaded guilty yesterday in the city police court to a charge of unlawfully and wilfully breaking a bottle on December 15 of, further use to industry, and was fined $5 by Magistrate Henry C. Hall.

Nine Fined—Three motorists were each fined $2.50 yesterday in the city police court for infractions of parking regulations. Another paid a $10 fine for speeding past a school zone. One was fined $5 for ignoring a stop sign. Four persons each paid fines of $1 and $2.50 costs for failing to possess radio licences.

Are Remanded—Brahma Singh, Taka Singh and Chuen Mar were charged yesterday in the city police court with refusing to vacate the Royal Arms Hotel recently condemned by the city as unfit for human habitation. They were remanded until January 19 and given until that date to locate new quarters.

Esquimalt Court—Corporal Bryan Higgins appeared in the Esquimalt police court yesterday morning and received three concurrent sentences each of two months in prison at hard labor for uttering three forged cheques, each purporting to have a face value of $40. The sentences will run concurrently with terms received in the city police court for obtaining money by fraud.

Prison Term—Corporal Brian Higgins received five concurrent sentences each of two months in prison at hard labor when he appeared in the city police court yesterday on charges of obtaining $308 and a $8 box of cigars by means of forged cheques from F. J. W. Melville, the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Royal Bank of Canada and Hudson's Bay Company between August 5 and December 19, 1942.

Ration Board—The Victoria local ration board, with Mayor Andrew McGavin in the chair, will meet in the City Hall at 10 o'clock this morning to consider complaints and make recommendations to the Wartime Prices and Trade Board branch concerned. Other members of the board are Reeve W. L. Woodhouse, Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, Mrs. H. L. Smith, J. W. Casey and Robert Knight.

Ignored Siren—George E. Gilbam was fined $25 yesterday in the city police court for ignoring a police patrol siren at Government and Fisgard Streets on the afternoon of December 28. His driver's licence was also suspended for three months. Evidence of Constables Stanley Holmes and Richard Berry and Thomas Lancaster showed Gilham's car struck the patrol and caused it to crash into two other automobiles. Magistrate Hall told Gilham he did not think he was fit to drive a car. I. M. Webster, driver of a double-parked truck involved in the crash, was fined $5 for failing to park within twelve inches of the curb.

Case Dismissed—A charge against William Truttman of retaining on or about October 24 a typewriter over the value of $25, the property of the Standard Steam Laundry, Ltd., well knowing the same to have been stolen, was dismissed yesterday morning in county court by Judge H. H. Shandley. W. H. Bullock-Webster prosecuted, and Gordon Wismer, K.C., represented Truttman. Accused, his wife, Helen Truttman, and Kenneth C. Mitchell swore the machine had been left at the Union Taxi office by an unidentified person and taken home by Truttman for safekeeping. Detectives George Clayards and P. W. Richards told of finding the typewriter in Truttman's home on Cook Street.

Elect Officers—Detective Henry F. Jarvis has been elected president of the Victoria Police Mutual Benefit Association for the ninth consecutive year, it was announced at the police station yesterday. Magistrate Henry C. Hall and Chief J. A. McLellan were named honorary presidents. Other officers appointed were: Sergeant Roy Woolsey, first vice-president; Sergeant John Blackstock, second vice-president. Constable Stanley Holmes secretary; Constable Arthur Rudge, treasurer, and Sergeant George Varney and Detective David Donaldson, auditors. Constables Ray Maitland and Brooke Douglass were named delegates to the Civic Employees' Federation. Detective Jarvis will represent the association during a conference of the British Columbia Joint Council of Public Employees at Vancouver on February 27.

MARRIAGE RECORD

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP)—More than 3,500,000 men and women in the United States were married during 1942, an all-time high.

Victorian Graduates As Lieutenant

LIEUT. COLIN F. RUTHERFORD

SON of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rutherford, Beach Drive, who graduated last week at Currie Barracks, Calgary, as a full lieutenant in the Canadian Active Army. Twenty-two-years old and a former pupil of St. Michael's and Oak Bay High Schools, he joined the 3rd Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment, in 1940, and was a member of the December, 1942, graduating class at Gordon Head O.T.C., where he received his commission as an infantry officer in the active army.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN TRENCH FAVORED

The most practicable route for a road to Alaska lies along the Rocky Mountain trench where all the way from the Montana border to the Yukon River, the variation in elevation is relatively slight, F. C. Green, surveyor-general for British Columbia, told members of the Kiwanis Club at their luncheon meeting in the Empress Hotel yesterday.

He reviewed the various routes that had been considered since 1887, to which time the history of communication with Alaska dated.

In the 2,000 miles from the Montana border to the Yukon River, Mr. Green said, the lowest elevation is 1,900 feet, and the highest 3,273. This small variation would be a great asset in the construction of a road, he pointed out.

American army engineers, in building the Alaska-Canada Highway, followed the route east of the Rocky Mountains, the "muskeg route." They avoided the muskegs with some success by swinging in toward the base of the Rockies until they came to a place where they could break through to the west, he said.

Mr. Green was introduced by Robert Hibberson.

WAR BOARD MEMBERS CONSIDER VICTORIA DIM-OUT GUINEA PIG

During a meeting at the City Hall yesterday afternoon, members of the war emergency committee failed to see why Victoria was singled out to be the "guinea pig," as far as dim-out regulations were concerned, but agreed that Article 35 of the Defence of Canada Regulations had to be observed.

The article specifies rigid dim-out precautions to be observed in Area "A," which includes Greater Victoria.

Walter B. McMicking, city electrician, reported to the committee that he would make a start today on covering cluster light globes with light brown paint, and had ordered special globes for street lights that would direct beams directly down to the pavement.

Nanaimo Doctor Has Joined Army

Dr. Beiriol L. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Llewelyn Williams, 224 Milton Street, Nanaimo, who has been practising in Nanaimo for the past few years has joined the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps and expects to leave for an Eastern military camp on January 25.

A younger brother, Maldwyn, joined the R.C.A.F. two years ago as an observer, and is now in hospital in England recovering from serious wounds received during air operations. Dr. Williams and his brother were both born in Nanaimo.

Announcements

Monetary Reform Movement—For truth and true Democracy hear Noel Murphy, outstanding speaker on the New Economics and the inevitable change. Mr. Murphy will address a public meeting at the Conservative Association Hall, 738 Fort Street (over English Bakery) on Friday 15th instant, at 8 p.m. Subject "The War After Peace." Do not miss this address.

Free Tuition to advertise our work. A number of students will be selected to learn the art of oil coloring photographs. Anyone may apply. There is a small charge for the materials only. Apply for interview to Box 3023 Colonist. Leave phone number if any.

Musical Art Society monthly recital Empress Hotel January 20, 8.30 p.m. David Oldham, baritone, Aeolian piano quartette, John Beckwith, pianist.

Free—New Colonist Tabloid Cook Book Circulation Department, The Colonist.

Free Tabloid of Global War Maps Circulation Department, Colonist.

At the Theatres

RIOTOUS COMEDY OPENS AT ATLAS

One of the funniest stories ever written for films opens today at the Atlas Theatre, where Paramount presents the hilarious comedy, "The Major and the Minor."

The picture, which co-stars Ginger Rogers and Ray Milland, is reputed to be a riot of laughs and unusual situations, all of which stem from Ginger's masquerade as a twelve-year-old so she can get from New York to her Iowa home by train on half-fare. Milland, a major who teaches at a military academy, becomes embarrassingly involved when he helps her elude the suspicious conductors by taking her into his own compartment. His gullible acceptance of Ginger's fantastic stories—the romantic complications that develop when his fiancee discovers Ginger in his berth all add up to a grand comedy.

OAK BAY AND PLAZA THEATRES In "Nightmare" Brian Donlevy has the role of a gambler who becomes involved in a series of hazardous adventures and situations after he aids the escape of a suspected murderess. "Nightmare," which co-stars Diana Barrymore and Brian Donlevy ends tonight at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres. The romantic melodrama was directed by Tim Whelan. Dwight Taylor officiated as writer-producer.

CAPITOL THEATRE Believe it or not, portly Eugene Pallette, one of the nation's best beloved character actors, is a graduate of Culver Military Academy—with a figure then as slim as a ramrod. He was born in Winfield, Wis., and is now rounding out his twenty-sixth year in motion pictures. Pallette is currently on the Capitol Theatre screen with Paulette Goddard, Fred MacMurray, Susan Hayward, Lynne Overman and Albert Dekker in Paramount's Technicolor film, "The Forest Rangers."

DOMINION THEATRE The most novel idea in fiction detectives since A. Conan Doyle invented Sherlock Holmes comes to life on the screen in Edward Arnold's depiction of a blind sleuth in "Eyes in the Night," mystery thriller now playing at the Dominion Theatre. The picture also marks the return to the screen of Ann Harding, after a lengthy tour of South America, and provides the most dramatic role of her career for Donna Reed, former campus queen.

YORK THEATRE It took an unprecedented honesty and the courage of her convictions for glamorous Joan Crawford to change her appearance to that of the scarred creature she plays in M-G-M's dynamic drama, "A Woman's Face," ending tonight at the York Theatre. Never in Hollywood history has a feminine star risked her career by abandoning her beauty and putting on a makeup which depicts her as ugly and frightening. But Joan assumed the daring role, once again proving her versatility and courage in hazarding an unconventional acting assignment.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—Ginger Rogers and Ray Milland in "The Major and the Minor."

Cadet—Red Skelton and Ann Sothern in "Maisie Gets Her Man."

Capitol—"The Forest Rangers," starring Fred MacMurray and Paulette Goddard.

Dominion — Edward Arnold and Ann Harding in "Eyes in the Night."

Oak Bay and Plaza—Diana Barrymore and Brian Donlevy in "Nightmare."

Rio—"My Gal Sal," with Victor Mature and Rita Hayworth.

York—Joan Crawford and Melvyn Douglas in "A Woman's Face."

CADET THEATRE Laughter and romance are expertly blended in "Maisie Gets Her Man," newest in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's series involving the abilities of Ann Sothern and Red Skelton. The picture ends tonight at the Cadet Theatre. The story is a fast-moving one which takes place against the background of the "Larceny Building," a dingy edifice which has the offices for an assortment of small-time promoters and bookies.

RIO THEATRE "Glamour plus"—is the stock in trade of sultry Mona Maris, the raven-haired actress who is rapidly making her mark as one of the screen's outstanding sirens. The latest opportunity for her to work her wiles is in 20th Century-Fox's Technicolor musical "My Gal Sal" during which no less a romantic figure than Victor Mature succumbs to her charms. "My Gal Sal" ends tonight at the Rio Theatre.

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Rita Johnson, Ray Milland and Ginger Rogers in a Scene From Paramount's Engaging Comedy, "The Major and the Minor," Which Opens Today at the Atlas Theatre.

Court of Appeal

Victoria Sittings

The Court of Appeal opened its first sittings of the new year yesterday morning with the Chief Justice Hon. D. A. McDonald, presiding and all associate justices present. Three civil appeals and twenty-two criminal are listed for hearing.

The appeal of Reginald Henry Willett, plaintiff-respondent, and Frank H. Fallows, defendant-appellant, occupied all day and decision was reserved. J. A. Campbell, K.C. appeared for appellant and H. Castillou, K.C., for the respondent.

The plaintiff is a wharf foreman in North Vancouver and was an officer of the Imperial Frontiersmen a semi-military corps. The defendant addressed certain letters to M. L. Fitzgerald, of Loretteville, Quebec senior commandant of the corps, in which the plaintiff alleges the defendant falsely and maliciously libeled him and caused the loss of his commission and his reduction to the ranks.

The plaintiff issued his writ on April 27, 1942, and later applied for and received an order from the Chief Justice to amend same, and this order was appealed.

Peremptory list: Rex vs. Graves, Rex vs. Brine; Rex vs. MacKenzie & Thompson; Rex vs. Bruce.

Plans Completed For Poison Gas A.R.P. Practice

Plans for the first poison gas test in the city, to take place on January 18 in A.R.P. District 10, are now complete, and will include nine incidents within the district, Col. F. G. Hood, district warden, said yesterday.

Outside ambulances and decontamination squads will be called for two of the incidents, he said, but the remainder will be handled by the A.R.P. wardens of the district.

Inspector A. H. Bishop, civilian protection officer, said yesterday that a number of poison gas cleansing stations, when built into the basements of houses in the city, will be open for inspection.

Each will have hot and cold running water, cleansing materials, facilities to rinse eyes, and will be used to treat persons not badly burned by gas. More severely injured patients will be treated at Royal Jubilee Hospital, he said.

The stations are necessary, Inspector Bishop said, because gas masks obviously cannot protect the body from gas burns.

Victoria Ignored By Radio Artist

As part of his constant effort to have Victoria recognized as the Western limit of Canada, George I. Warren, commissioner of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau sent a telegram yesterday to Miss Gracie Fields criticizing her use on the radio of the phrase, "Saint John to Vancouver."

Miss Fields used the expression on a Hollywood radio programme on Monday night. Twice previously Miss Fields' attention has been called to her description of Canada as between Halifax and Vancouver and at one time the matter was taken up with D. Leo Dolan, of the Canadian Travel Bureau, Ottawa guest speaker on a programme.

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1 BIRTHS

DAVIDSON—To Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Davidson (nee Saunders), 306 Douglas Street, at Royal Jubilee Hospital, January 11, a daughter (Jeanne Ann).

PAGE—To Mr. and Mrs. Trevor Page (nee Joyce Woods), a son on January 6 at St. Paul's Hospital, Vancouver. Mr. Page is the son of Mrs. A. Stratton, Trevarrow, Bay Road, Cadboro Bay.

2 DEATHS

SCHEELER—Bay Father Edward M. Scheeler, sixty-three, died Sunday at 990 Burdett Avenue. Born in Nullsborg, Holland, he had lived in British Columbia for thirty-eight years and for many years at Saanichton. For the last five years he had been at Salt Spring Island. He is survived by fifteen sisters and one sister-in-law.

The body is at Sands Mortuary Ltd., and will be removed Wednesday evening at 8:30 to St. Andrew's Cathedral where it will lie in state throughout the night. Matins and lauds of the public office for the dead will be recited by the clergy present, presided over by Bishop J. C. Cody. The Knights of Columbus will provide a guard of honor to recite the Rosary every hour of the night. Frank Sehl, faithful navigator of the fourth degree, Victoria assembly, will be in charge of the guard of honor and the pallbearers. The Pontifical Requiem Mass will be chanted at 10:30 Thursday morning. Following the funeral service at the Cathedral the remains will be taken to Assumption Church, Brentwood, where Father Scheeler was the priest for many years, and prayers will be said at 12:30 o'clock. Interment will be in the Catholic Cemetery. The Indians being the final pallbearers. The delivery of the Company of Mary will be in charge of the choir. The funeral oration will be delivered by his classmate ordained the same day, Rev. W. Lemmens, S.M.M., now superior of Tsouhalem, Cowichan.

ORDICK—There passed away at her residence, 867 McClure Street, on January 11, Mary Ann Orrick, in her seventy-fourth year. She was born in Wallsend-on-Tyne, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for thirty-two years. She leaves to mourn two daughters, Mrs. I. Rawlinson, Oakland, Cal., and Mrs. T. Neil, 632 Belmont Street, Victoria; also nine grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. The late Mrs. Orrick for many years was a member of the Queen City Lodge, O.E.S.

The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, from where funeral service will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:15. Rev. George Biddle will officiate, and interment will be in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

JAMES—There passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on Monday evening, January 11, Robert Frederick James, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick James (nee Flora Clarke), of 890 Carrie Street. Survived by his parents, his grandmother Mrs. H. R. Clarke, Victoria, also uncles and aunts in Victoria and Calgary.

Strictly private funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon. Rev. James Hood will officiate. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. Arrangements are with the Thomson Funeral Home.

WALKER—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital there passed away Tuesday, January 12, Barbara Yvonne Walker, at the age of eight years. Born in Calgary, Alta., the late Barbara Walker moved to this city with her parents two months ago from Kimberley, B.C. She leaves to mourn besides her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, 30 Government Street, one brother, Gordon, at home; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vallance, Drumheller, Alberta, and Mrs. Barbara Walker, in Scotland.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Major Allen McInnes will officiate and interment will take place in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

WOODMASS—At Royal Jubilee Hospital on January 2, 1943, Flora Woodmass, beloved wife of Captain Oscar Woodmass, of 608 Trutch Street, formerly of View Royal, aged sixty-two years, born in London, England, and a resident of this city for four years. Besides her husband (at present in the West Indies), she leaves one brother, Wilfred Sharpe, in Victoria, and one brother and two sisters in England.

Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 2 p.m. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

SMITH—At the residence, West Saanich Road, on January 12, 1943, Laurie Smith, beloved wife of Henry Smith, aged twenty-six years, born in West Saanich. Besides her husband she leaves one son, Simon, and one daughter, Julia.

Funeral on Wednesday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 8:15 a.m. for the Church of the Assumption, Brentwood, where Requiem Mass will be celebrated at 10. Interment in Catholic Cemetery, Saanich.

2 DEATHS (Continued)

TODD—Passed peacefully away after a lingering illness at an early hour Sunday morning, Alice Ann Todd, aged fifty-six years, of 37 Macquinna Road. The late Mrs. Todd was born in Lancashire, England, and had resided in Victoria for the last twenty-two years. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, Edgar Todd, in Vancouver; two sons, James, in Madison, N.J., Douglas, in R.C.A.S.C.; three daughters, Mrs. W. Wood, Mrs. H. Parsons and Mrs. J. N. Davies; also four grandchildren, all in Victoria. Mrs. Todd was a valued member of the Daughters of England, Primrose Lodge, No. 32, and was a past honorary president and popular member of the Ladies' Victoria Lawn Bowling Club.

The funeral service will be conducted on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel, Very Rev. Dean Spencer H. Elliott will officiate, after which interment will be in Colwood Burial Park. At the chapel the officers and members of Primrose Lodge, No. 32, Daughters of England, will conduct their funeral service.

GRANT—On January 11, in Vancouver, B.C., the death occurred of Mildred, widow of R. A. C. Grant, Victoria, B.C. She leaves to mourn her loss one sister, Mrs. T. L. Hutchings, of Vancouver; three brothers, A. E. and Rae Sargison, of San Francisco, Cal., and R. B. Sargison, of Victoria, B.C.

Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 p.m. Rev. Hugh A. McLeod officiating. Interment in family plot, Ross Bay.

WARYAM—At Victoria, B.C., on January 11, 1943, Waryam Singh, of Vancouver, B.C., aged fifty-five years, born in Punjab, India, and a resident of this province for thirty years and of the city for five months.

Funeral held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Tuesday afternoon. Cremation at Royal Oak.

PATTA—On January 11, 1943, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Patta Singh, of 2737 Graham Street, aged seventeen years, born in India and had lived here for fourteen years.

Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Tuesday afternoon. Cremation at Royal Oak.

3 MARRIAGES

DANIELS—DUFFIELD—At his residence, Savoy Mansions, on New Year's Day, Rev. Canon F. Y. Bird solemnized the marriage between Miss Lillian Eleanor Duffield and Mr. Arthur Daniels. The bride wore a pale blue afternoon frock with navy accessories and a corsage bouquet of carnations. After a wedding supper in a local hotel, the couple left for a short honeymoon, and have now returned and taken up residence at 901 Burdett Avenue.

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE

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Properties of all Descriptions listed.
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NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made on behalf of The Presbyterian Church in Canada and The Trustee Board of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, a body corporate duly incorporated by and under an Act passed by the Parliament of Canada, being Chapter 84 of the Statutes of Canada, 1939, to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act giving the said applicants the power and right to purchase, lease, acquire, have, take, hold, receive and enjoy all or any property, real and personal, whatsoever, in the Province of British Columbia; and for a declaration as to the rights and powers in relation thereto.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 21st day of December, A.D. 1942.

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RICH LOCATION, south of the Oak Bay Avenue, near transportation. Fine residence of seven rooms. Two bathrooms. Lovely garden and lawns. Early possession. Price $5250
On Terms—Less for Cash

JAMES BAY—Bungalow of five rooms, full basement. Tenant $500 down, balance as rent. Full price $2000

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Modern six-room stucco bungalow. Full basement and furnace $4500

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Walking distance. Hardwood floors. Hot water heating. All in perfect condition $4600

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$1300

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$2300

Four-room home with part basement. Nice garden lot. Taxes only $18. Possession within thirty days.

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$2750 ON TERMS for fine semi-bungalow of seven rooms, full cement basement, furnace and garage. ONE AND HALF LOTS, good soil. NOTE: The three rooms upstairs are ideal for renting as a flat. Water laid on and space for cook stove. Craigflower district near Tillicum. A GOOD BUY FOR REVENUE.

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GORGE

Five-room stucco bungalow, new cement basement, garage, hot air furnace, kitchen, bathroom, dining-room, large living-room with fireplace, hardwood floors, two bedrooms. Terms $4200

GORGE

Four-room stucco bungalow, one with sunporch, hardwood floors and all modern conveniences. Terms $3800

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$5500—Stucco semi-bungalow, Fairfield near park and sea, seven rooms, hot water heating. Nice location. Oak floors throughout and comfortable home at the right price.

$5500—Beach Drive home with fine view. Seven rooms. Sun porch, hot water heating (automatic), full cement basement, garage.

$2750—Esquimalt bungalow, five large rooms, basement, furnace, garage under. Would make fine boarding house. Furniture for sale also.

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FAIRFIELD

Four-room modern bungalow in most nice location. Containing a nice size living-room with fireplace and hardwood floors, breakfast nook and convenient kitchen, bathroom and two bedrooms, full basement and furnace. Lot is all improved. Terms $4200

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IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

Terms $1,000 cash, balance monthly. This house has eight rooms, double lot with double garage. Close to bus, sea and Monterey School. $6,000 has been spent on complete renovation. Price $5500

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THIEF IN THE SADDLE

By STEPHEN PAYNE

CHAPTER LVIII

At the stockyards, where the gate was still closed, guns were now barking. Wham! Roar! Wham! But Milt was coming.

Brenda's eyes darted to something nearer at hand—a real danger to her and to Milt. Lem, the pockmarked tough, whose chore it had been to guard her, had his gun free of the holster. He had crouched down beside the wagon and was deliberately aiming at the onrushing horse and rider.

How she did it she never remembered, but Brenda broke out of the tent like a wild horse out of a flimsy corral. She snatched the first weapon she saw, which was Rinky's iron pot, standing at the edge of the fire. With both hands she swung this upward. At first Lem, intent on his kill, did not notice. And finally swivelled his head around—too late. Down over the man's head Brenda slammed the pot.

Lem dropped his weapon to claw with both hands at his strange headgear. That it had been half full of bean soup added nothing to his comfort of appearance. Brenda didn't wait to see how he'd make out. Stooping down under the wagon, she snatched up an armful of firearms and belts. In a flash it had come to her that if she and Milt could join Ted, Ike, Haskell and Mumford, they must be provided with guns.

Milt Parvin had arrived by now and stopped. He leaped from his saddle and jerked the tied reins of Lem's horse. Somehow, en route from the railroad tracks to the camp he had stowed away the wallet and the money belts, the gun, too. In no time he caught the girl up in his arms and tossed her astride this snorting horse of Lem's.

"The pass trail, and ride for it!" he said. Then, because Brenda was holding fast to her armful of guns, he half-hitched her bridle reins to the saddle horn. A Wild West mount and he was back in the saddle on Drew's horse, and neck and neck the two horses were racing across the open area.

There was need of this speed with mounted men rushing from the stockyards. Drew, unhurt, had joined these men and taken one rider's horse. He lashed this animal as though he were a maniac. The spurs of his men were turning red and there was the crash of useless gun fire and the oncoming thunder of many hoofs.

Ahead of this cavalcade Brenda's mount ran neck and neck with Milt's. Reaching over, he snatched some of the burdensome firearms, hanging a scabbarded rifle on either side of his saddle and draping belts with holstered six-shooters over his saddle horn. There had been one rifle scabbarded on Brenda's saddle and she retained another one which she clutched in her hands.

She saw Milt's eyes shine as he looked behind them and then again at her. Never, if she lived to be a thousand, would she forget the thrill of this moment, nor the sheer ecstacy of feeling the strength of Milt's arms when he had tossed her so easily and so gently into the saddle. Like a miracle he had come in time.

And oh! what a wonderful ride, with those red-hot, furious riders unable to gain on her and Milt. The rush of air fanned her face, and she was thrilled by this ride for life until all at once it came to her that they'd find Cold Water Pass barricaded. She bent her horse close against Milt's shouting, "We're riding into a trap!"

He answered, "It may be a trap for us, but it's a chance we've got to take if we're to win. Maybe it will prove a trap for Drew. That's what I'm hopin'."

Brenda glanced back. Spread out and sweeping forward with sunlight glancing on their guns, the pursuers were scarcely three hundred yards behind, Storm Drew a little in advance of the others. Some were already lagging, and far behind these, yet clearly unrecognizable, rode Lem and the old cook. They'd gotten horses, too. The entire outfit which had been at Blue Pine on the trail of the girl and the man who had robbed their boss.

"Madder'n hornets," yelled Milt. "And a hornet gets the proddiest of any critter I know of."

Ahead of girl and cowboy loomed the canyon of Cold Water Pass. Their rocketing horses seemed actually to dive into it and their hoofs rang along the dark, narrow floor of this rock-walled chasm.

Brenda asked, "What did you mean, it may be a trap for Drew?"

He yelled, "I'm bankin' on Haskell, Ted and Ike and Mumford having got the best of Drew's riflemen and——"

"But they haven't, Milt!" She couldn't lose him now just when he had come back into her life. Her fear was for him much more than for herself. "They were all caught and are in a little ravine at the side of the canyon, tied. Two Drew men have blocked the gap at the far end. We'll smash into that barrier and——"

Milt bent close to her. "I didn't know that. Where are they tied?"

"It was dark. I can't say exactly. Couldn't see anything."

"Is it this side of where Drew's men'll block the pass?"

"Yes, Milt, yes." Brenda saw his grim features light with a glow of hope. "What can we do, Milt?"

(To Be Continued)

"THE ARMORED CRUISER SQUADRON"

Here's to the cruisers of the fleet,
So goldurn fast they're hard to beat,
The battleships they may be fine,
But me for a cruiser every time.

Step aboard any American man-o-war, meander into the wardroom—nautical for clubroom, lounging room, smoking room and sitting-room.

Is it the leisure hour?

There is one way you can surely tell. Listen.

If it is the leisure hour you will hear someone singing "The Armored Cruiser Squadron," which is as typical as any of our naval songs—more so, in fact.

The allusion was to the crack warships built after the Spanish-American War called armored cruisers, that usually operated as a separate unit of our naval forces.

A bumble bee, they were fond of opining, can make a bull jump the fence!

Every one of their gunners looked down on the rest of the fleet, bragging that he was the champion sharpshooter of the navy, certainly far and away better than any marksman aboard any destroyer.

In rousing air the armored cruiser boys proclaimed that the battleships were a cinch in any kind of competition against them:

Away, away, with sword and drum,
Here we come, full of rum,
Looking for someone to put on the bum,
The armored cruiser squadron.

The men aboard the destroyers appropriated the music of "The Armored Cruiser Squadron" and sang of their own prowess in a version entitled "The Old Destroyer Squadron."

(The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

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The woman had been very trying and the shop assistant's temper was beginning to get a bit uncertain.

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VICTORIA, B.C., Jan. 13.—One of the strangest army mascots on Vancouver Island is Black Bertie, an enormous bull buffalo head from the Canadian Prairies which has just reached one of the regiments at its station.

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Tony Zarelli, eighty-two years of age, 1154 Johnson Street, who claimed to have polished more boots and shoes than any man in the Northwest, died on Monday night in St. Joseph's Hospital.

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Consumers of sawdust may expect to use quantities of hemlock and cedar sawdust in the next year instead of higher grade Douglas fir fuel they have been receiving, an official of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board announces.

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The lack of labor turnover in business and industry here is noticeable and gratifying, according to Charles A. Mudge, manager of the Employment and Claims Office, Unemployment Insurance Commission.

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An appeal that members of the Victoria Horticultural Society turn their attention to the growing of vegetables during the coming year, to offset a possible shortage, was made at the society's annual meeting recently by W. H. Warren, retiring president.

Lieut. R. P. Hood, R.C.A., and Mrs. Hood, nee Kay Burnett, whose marriage was celebrated at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening.

Contributions to the Half of One Per Cent War Services Fund, started by a few of the men employed at Yarrows in 1941, have increased from $1,900 in 1941 to $14,483 in 1942.

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R. N. Stinson was elected president of the Victoria Labor Council at the annual meeting Monday night.

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P.O. Robert Lynch, Third Street, Sidney, B.C., was included in a list of Royal Canadian Air Force pilots who have been awarded the United States Army Air Medal for heroism against the Japanese in the Aleutians.

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Miss Evelyn Harper, who is well known in Victoria musical circles as pianist and teacher, left on Monday evening for New York, where she will enter the Juilliard Graduate School of Music.

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Miss Clarice Saunders has joined the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) and left Victoria on Sunday night for Rockcliffe, Ont. Miss Saunders is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Saunders, Qu'Appelle Street.

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A verdict of drowning was returned by a coroner's jury Tuesday afternoon after investigating circumstances surrounding the death of Frank Bombardier, aged twenty-three years, whose remains were found in the Inner Harbor on Monday afternoon.

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Word of the death of Sergt. Bernard H. Barber, a student at Victoria College in 1938-39, who has been serving overseas with the R.C.A.F. for a year, has been received here.

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Alderman W. H. Davies, chairman of the City Council street lighting committee, announced Tuesday that electric light and telephone poles would be painted white at a number of intersections in order to make them visible to pedestrians and motorists during dim-outs.

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Alderman D. D. McTavish, chairman of the city anniversary committee, is making plans for a general meeting of organizations interested in staging events to mark the founding of the city 100 years ago next March.

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Signalman John Lloyd-Fairley, twenty-one, has died from wounds suffered at Hongkong in December, 1941, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fairley, of Port Alberni, have been notified.

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Stoker L. Beesley, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mrs. J. H. Blyth, Mill Bay, has arrived home on furlough from his station on the East Coast, where he has been engaged in harbor patrol work.

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Sergt. Pilot J. V. Davey, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Davey, 680 Oliver Street, reported missing as the result of air operations over North Africa last May, is now presumed dead, according to the latest R.C.A.F. casualty list.

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Army hoopsters were defeated after five minutes' overtime play by the Royal Canadian Air Force with a score of 35-34 at the Sports Centre Wednesday night.

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George Calter was installed as president of Nanaimo Kiwanis Club at a banquet with W. P. MacDonald, past lieutenant governor of Pacific Northwest District, officiating.

L.A.C. G. A. Pelter, of Cassidy, Vancouver Island, was the lone West Coast airman who received his Royal Canadian Air Force navigator's wings during the graduation ceremony held at No. 1 Air Observers' School, Malton, Ont., Wednesday, December 30.

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An intimation that street lights must be turned off on January 15 unless dim-out regulations are observed were received by Mayor Andrew McGavin recently from W. C. Mainwaring, Vancouver, chairman of the Advisory Council of the Civilian Protection Committee.

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P.O. Edward S. Drew, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Drew, 227 Menzies Street, has returned to his station in MacLeod, Alta., after spending his Christmas leave with his parents.

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John Charles Biggs, whose father came to Vancouver Island on the historic trip of the Ss. Princess Royal which brought the first coal miners from Staffordshire, England, here in 1854, died in the General Hospital at Nanaimo at the age of sixty.

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L.A.C. Len Cruickshank is now spending leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cruickshank, 2826 Prior Street.

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The men of the Royal Air Force stationed at Patricia Bay received a rousing welcome Thursday evening when they presented their "Smile" show before a large and appreciative audience at the Royal Victoria Theatre.

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Preparations to welcome to Victoria a delegation of labor representatives expected to arrive on January 14 were advanced at a meeting of the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council last night.

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Difficulties already being experienced in collecting payment for gas masks issued by the A.R.P. to students at city schools caused the school board, at its inaugural meeting, to reaffirm its stand against the Federal Government's policy of charging for the masks when parents are able to pay.

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Sub-Lieut. J. C. Fawcett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fawcett, 555 Harbinger Avenue, has returned home on leave after four years with the Royal Navy, undergoing numerous adventures in various parts of the world.

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W. H. Warren, parks superintendent, has been requested to plough a two-acre portion of Beacon Hill Park along Heywood Avenue opposite the end of Oliphant Street and make ready to plant potatoes in the Spring, due to the alarming prospects of a shortage of vegetables later in the year.

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Captain E. R. Brock, R.C.N.V.R., commanding officer of reserve division, who has been on the Coast for the past two weeks, reached Victoria Wednesday night accompanied by Commander L. N. Richardson, R.N.R., director of naval education and selection board instructor, and Lieut. J. M. Wood, R.C.N.V.R., staff training officer, Toronto.

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Word has been received here announcing the promotion of Squadron Leader Richard O. Shaw to wing commander rank.

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Cpl. Charles John (Chuck) Sharp, well-known basketball player of Victoria, was killed in action at Hongkong, according to word received recently from Ottawa by his wife, Mrs. Christine Sharp.

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Arrangements have been made for illustrated folders of Victoria and Vancouver Island to be distributed to theatre audiences in the larger cities of the Pacific Coast at showings of "The Commandos Strike at Dawn," it was announced Thursday.

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Flt. Sergt. J. A. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kibble, 1544 Morley Street, is now presumed dead after being listed as missing following a bomb raid over Essen in June last.

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At present on leave and visiting his father, Attorney-General R. L. Maitland, K.C., Sub-Lieut. Bob Maitland, who joined the R.C.N.V.R. three years ago as a rating, has been notified by Ottawa of his promotion to lieutenant's rank.

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The council nominated by the British Columbia Historical Association in a session following the association's annual meeting at the Provincial Library elected Bruce A. McKelvie as president.

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Moe Noel, talent scout for 20th Century-Fox and Paramount Studios, in the city Friday, said he is arranging for Anna May Wong, noted Chinese actress, to appear at a Victoria theatre this month, sponsored by local Chinese organizations.

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Sergt. Norman Wharf, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. E. Wharf, 332 Obed Avenue, and former member of the Royal Canadian Army Pay Corps, recently transferred to the R.C.A.F. to train as air crew.

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Royal Canadian Air Force hockey players defeated V.M.D. pucksters 12-6 at the Willows Arena Friday night.

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Word of the safe arrival in England of Sergt. Pilot Doran has been received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Doran, James Island.

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Frank Nicholson, of Nanaimo, had a narrow escape from death when he was refused admission because of his low priority rating, aboard the plane which disappeared December 30 while on a flight from Prince George, B.C., to Vancouver.

Three of America's ace cameramen arrived in the city Friday to film activities of the Royal Canadian Navy.

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Jack Barraclough, London Life Insurance Company, was named president of the Victoria and Island Life Underwriters' Association during the annual meeting at the Minnie-Terry dining-room Friday afternoon.

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Arthur Dixon, Provincial road engineer, in a letter to the North Cowichan Council, has urged the council to have improvement work done on Stoker's Hill this Spring if possible as the Provincial grant would be available only until March 31.

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Several boys in the Saanich high schools, many of them air cadets, are making "recognition models" for the R.C.A.F.

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Race for the Garrison Cup, symbolic of the Victoria and District Football League championship, has dwindled down to a two-team affair, with the V.M.D. and the Royal Air Force being the clubs in the running for the laurels.

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V.M.D. footballers turned back the Royal Canadian Navy, 4-1 at Royal Athletic Park—and Royal Air Force registered five of the eight goals scored at Bullen Park to beat the Army, 5-3, Saturday afternoon.

Fighter aircraft of the Royal Canadian Air Force fly over the West Coast Range, on the watch for hostile threats from the air.

Signal honor has been achieved by Mrs. Joan Watkins, of Victoria, who is the first woman in Canada to be commissioned in the R.C.A.F. signals branch.

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Sergt.-Air Gunner N. Orattan, previously reported as missing and believed killed over Germany, is now officially presumed to have died on May 31, 1942, according to information received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Orattan, 1615 Fort Street.

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Fire of unknown origin destroyed Port Alberni's Recreation Centre and Bowling Alleys with loss running into thousands of dollars.

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Sergt. W. E. Phillips, whose wife resides at 1016 Victoria Avenue, is reported as having been killed in action at Hongkong.

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Sergt. Pilot R. Mason, former local lacrosse and basketball player and employee of the Liquor Control Board, has arrived in India, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mason, Merritt Street.

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Army ruggers Saturday defeated the Royal Air Force 16-5 in the final game of the first half of the Barnard Cup series played at Macdonald Park.

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A record number of births in Greater Victoria last year, and an increase in the number of deaths and marriages are disclosed in the annual report of the Provincial Government's Bureau of Vital Statistics.

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Although extremes of heat and cold were reached in Victoria in 1942, the mean temperature for the year was 51 degrees or one degree above normal, according to the 1941 weather summary issued by the Dominion Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales.

YEAR FOR ESCAPE

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11 (CP) — Police Magistrate H. S. Wood today sentenced Reuben Gordon Lyons, alias Blackie Weir, twenty-five, to one year in jail with hard labor for escaping from the custody of Provincial Police here December 16. Lyons pleaded guilty. He was being tried in County Court on a charge of having an offensive weapon when he broke away while being escorted to a police car and eluded capture. He was arrested recently in Calgary.

TO COAST GUARD

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP).—The house in which Horatio Alger wrote most of his rags-to-riches books, Newsboys House, will be turned over to the United States Coast Guard tomorrow. The seven-story structure which has sheltered thousands of lost, friendless and poor boys since its founding in 1872 will be used as a receiving and transfer depot for coast guard recruits.

"Boy! WHAT RELIEF FOR THOSE CRACKED, ITCHY TOES"

Are you looking for like relief? Then start doing this tonight. Bathe feet with foamy lather of Resinol Soap. Next apply specially medicated, soothing Resinol. You, too, should soon feel lingering comfort. Why not buy and try both today?

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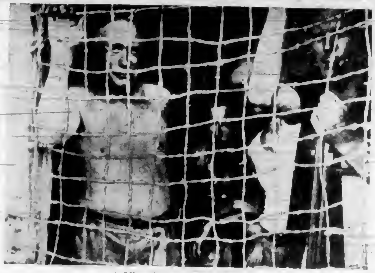


WOULD NOT WORK FOR AXIS

These Norwegian seamen, trapped in French waters after France fell, had to endure constant privation in a North African concentration camp, where this photograph was taken, before the American invasion brought about their release. They spent two years in overcrowded and overheated barracks behind barbed wire windows. In spite of the punishment, the men refused to "buy their way out" by working for the Nazis.

MAJOR HAROLD BROWN NAMED CHAIRMAN OF WAR SERVICE GROUP

Major Harold Brown was elected chairman of the Citizens' War Services Committee for 1943 at a representative meeting yesterday in the Chamber of Commerce board room. Other officers elected were Miss Violet Wilson, vice-chairman; Capt. Norman Foster, secretary; A. R. Halter, treasurer.

A constitution was adopted in principle, and by-laws will be prepared by Capt. Foster and W. T. Straith, K.C., M.P.P. It was decided that the annual meeting of the committee will be held on the second Tuesday of each year, or as soon after that date as possible.

George E. MacDonald, Frank Paulding and Mr. Straith will arrange for the appointment of a finance committee.

TO SHOW MOVIE

LONDON, Jan. 12 (CP).—A movie about American soldiers in Northern Ireland titled "A Letter From Ulster," with two Americans as principals, is to be shown for the first time at a local theatre Friday night. The co-stars are Pte. Wally Newfield and Sgt. Donald Prill, both artillerymen. They play brothers in the movie which unfolds in the form of a letter home.

PRINCE A PRIVATE

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP).—Prince Gaetan de Bourbon Parme of Austria today became a private in the United States Army. The thirty-seven-year-old brother of former Empress Zita and uncle of Archduke Otto, is the father of an eleven-year-old daughter, Diane, now in France. He fought with Franco in the Spanish civil war of 1936.

Nazi Troops Victims of Russians' Deadly Jokes

By GREGORY CLARK

The Germans have won all their battles so far in this war by novelty and surprise. The people they have crushed, including such British forces as they have bested, were people who for one reason or another were unequipped with novelties and had no capacity to surprise the Germans. The people of France had been patiently rotted by novel and skilful political dissension. The British troops with whom I shared the retreat in Flanders in 1940 were to all intents and purposes, as far as equipment and training were concerned, the same troops with whom I had been demobilized in 1919.

But the reason the Russians have held out against battle-seasoned German armies ever freshly supplied with novelties, both material and intellectual, is that the Russians themselves, at the very outset, adopted the principle of novelty and surprise. This principle of never doing what the enemy might expect you to do is fatal to the German character. If you creep into a room to say boo at somebody, and somebody says boo at you, it throws you off balance.

HAVE SURPRISED GERMANS

Technically and mechanically the Russians have astonished and surprised not only their enemies but their allies in the high development of engines for Winter fighting in their planes, transport and tanks. In the military art the Russians have made contributions to the world history of war in the breaking down of big armies into small armies, each complete unto itself in both fighting power and supply.

But in addition to organized novelty and surprise, the Russians have for months been running a competition amongst the men, the boys, the girls and the women, every last one of whom lawfully regards himself or herself as a fighter for Russia, to see who can think up the most outrageous surprise for the Germans. And when you get every regiment, every battery, every air squadron, every factory and every village and farmer competing in such a contest, the Germans are very likely to be surprised.

Pavel Nikitin, one of the war correspondents of The Red Star, Russian Army newspaper, tells this one:

"Not all Russians are big men. A soldier named Vlaschenko, who is still alive and kicking, is all arms and shoulders and hardly any legs. He has developed the most extraordinary technique of long poles with boat hooks at both ends by which he travels over the roofs of Stalingrad, crossing streets, and lanes by swinging across on his pole, and also light ropes with hooks at the end which he flings across streets from roof top to roof top, trapezing himself almost anywhere he likes. With carbine, bomb and ten-pound packets of TNT, he has wrought havoc in astonished German headquarters and outposts; for what sentry can see a white rabbit in the snow at night? And who can see a white cloud drift amid the blizzard, high overhead?

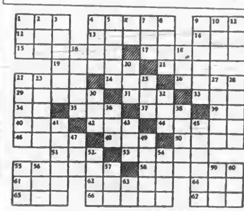
CRAWLS THROUGH SEWERS

"With a Russian lumberjack's packsack containing sixty pounds of TNT, Vlaschenko recently crawled through a sewer system many hundreds of yards of which was believed to be in ruins, and destroyed a bridge immensely valuable to the Germans in Stalingrad. He was gone two days and we thought he was killed. Then the bridge blew up. So we had a least ready two more days for Vlaschenko's return. His own explosion had given him a hemorrhage of the nose and ears and had strained his eyes in some painful fashion. But he was only four days in hospital, and the last I saw of him he was rigged up in his white nightshirt, with a new twenty-foot duralumin pole the engineers had made for him in his honor, and his coils of delicate rope off for another night's novelty and surprise for the Germans in Stalingrad."

It is not the Government, the war council or the army and air command of Russia that is fighting on our side right now. It is all the people of Russia. No aid is too much or too good for them. Send your contribution and use your ingenuity to think up ways and means of inspiring others to send theirs to the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund, 60 King Street West, Toronto.

In Victoria contributions should be sent to 1238 Government Street.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

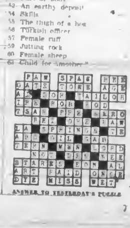


ACROSS

1 Part of circle.
4 To smudge.
8. To observe.
12. Malay gibbon.
13 Deft.
14 Part of body.
15 Glossy paint.
17 Excessively fond.
19 The present time.
21. A small child.
22 Extent of land.
24 Tattered cloth.
26 Pinocle term.
29 The measure round the body.
31 Diagram.
33 To bring action against.
34 Paid notice.
35 To dine.
37 Indian moccasin.
39 Egyptian sun god.
40 To spread for drying.
42 Hindu cymbals.
44 Loaded.
46 Period of time (pl.).
48 Canine.
50 One's employer.
51. Male sheep.
52 A kernel.
55. Enclosure for aircraft.
58. Adorned elaborately.
61 Years old.
63 To pardon.
64 To haul.
65. Angry.
66 Cants.
67 Before.

DOWN

1 A beverage.
2 Went speedily aloft.
3. Part of volcanic peak.
4 Small enclosure.
5 Pertaining to the cheek.
6 Printer's measure.
7. To total.
8 Indian peasant.
9 Slips.
10 Even (poetic).
11 To urge on.
16 Wide trench around castle (pl.).
18 Kind of headgear.
20 Sweet potato.
22 A variegated chalcedony.
23 An addition to a manuscript.
25 A breach.
27 Entices.
28 College officials.
30 A hovel.
32 A chum.
36 To stuff.
38 Small house.
41 Mended.
43 Ship's record.
45 To give.
47 To give in middle.
49 Part of body.
53 An earthy deposit.
54 Skills.
55 The thigh of a hog.
56 Turkish officer.
57 Female ruff.
59 Jutting rock.
60 Female sheep.
62 Child for "mother."



ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

What Today Means

"CAPRICORN"

If January 13 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date will be from 10.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m., from 2.15 to 4.15 p.m. and from 8.15 to 10.15 p.m. The danger periods will be from 8.15 to 10.15 a.m., from 6.15 to 8.15 p.m. and from 10.15 p.m. until midnight.

A desire to put their thoughts down on paper may lead to an unusual number of people being inspired to write letters on January 13. There is no news so welcomed as home news, especially to the men on our fighting fronts, and there can be no better time than now for you to remember to impart it to that dear one or friend in camp or on the firing line. An urge to have things done in a hurry will be responsible for innumerable arguments and strainings of friendly relationships on this date, so do not try to rush others into doing anything if you want to display good judgment. Conditions may arise that will make it advisable for you to remember that "discretion is the better part of valor," especially when you are inclined to express yourself too frankly. Married and engaged couples, and those endeavoring to devise ways and means for an early betrothal, must not let self-interest cause them to lose sight of the fact that "God grants liberty only to those who love it, and are always ready to guard and defend it."

If you are a woman and January 13 is your birthday, you always must refrain from making mountains out of mole hills if you do not want to be in a continual state of turmoil. Thoughts may be among your most precious possessions, and if put to practical use they may bring you prosperity and an enviable reputation. Because of your effort in journalism, the writing of fiction, teaching, dramatic work, painting, scientific research, business management, or some patriotic activity, an interesting and prosperous future seems to be ahead for you. Married to the man of your choice, you may drink your full from Love's cup.

The child born on January 13 will take with a little encouragement, a keen interest in Sunday school work and in children's organizations. By developing self-reliance, Capricorn children, by the time they attain maturity, will be well prepared to face the world successfully.

If you are a man and January 13 is your natal day, you may have to learn the value of money before you really can start accumulating any substantial sum of it. The quicker you discover the way to discriminate between those worthy and unworthy of your help the better off you will be. As a manufacturer, inventor, agriculturist, chemist, lawyer, doctor, clergyman, educator, journalist, scientist, sales representative, contractor, promoter, author, or as one of the legion facing the foe you may win the admiration and respect of all who know you.

—The Bell Syndicate, Inc.

JUST AN ESTIMATE

Having an unusually heavy crop of hair because he had been on a country visit and hadn't bothered to get a haircut a man went immediately to his barber when he returned to town.

"Haircut?" asked the barber.

"Not now," said the man. "I just dropped in for an estimate."

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This Morning's SPECIALS

Wednesday Store Hours, 9 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Half-Day Clearance of Women's Coats
Special 8.88

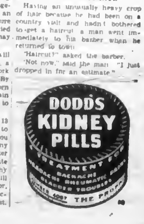
A limited number of women's casual and fitted coats priced for quick clearance. Checks . . . herringbones . . . plaids . . . diag onals . . . plains . . . in tan, blue, brown, wine, grey or black. Neatly tailored of serviceable wool materials, and fully lined with good-wearing rayon taffeta. Their broken size range has prompted this worth while saving!
Coats and Suits, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

Book Clearance
POCKET-SIZE PENGUIN BOOKS at a clearance price. Popular titles, with mystery, adventure or love stories. Regular 25c. To clear at 15c
MYSTERIES, LOVE STORIES, ADVENTURE BOOKS—Priced exceptionally low for this morning. A large and varied selection. Regular 59c. 29c
Stationery, Street Floor at THE BAY

Notion Clearance
OVEN CLOTHS—Guard against [illegible] hands with one of these handy [illegible]. Regular 29c. Clearing at 23c
DRESS SHIELDS—Take good care [illegible] with these processed cotton dress shields. White only in sizes 2, 3, 4. 19c
METAL SHOE RACKS—[illegible] Pastel shades. Will hold [illegible] pairs of shoes. Specially priced 69c
Notions, Street Floor at THE BAY

Clearance of Street and Evening Shoes
75 Pairs of our better grade shoes reduced for this morning's selling. Included in the group are satin sandals for evening wear and styles to wear with your street clothes. The size range is broken but there is a good choice collectively. Kidskins, calf leathers and satin fabrics. 1.69
Women's Shoes, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

Beauty Salon Special
Let us help you look your best [illegible]. Take advantage of this special reduction on our Shampoo and Finger Wave Service for this morning. [illegible] and make your early appointment.
Beauty Salon, Mezzanine Floor at THE BAY

Women's Rayon or Lisle Hose
Rayon or lisle full-fashioned hose in a broken assortment of colors and weights, thirds from higher priced lines of 75c and $1.00. Their [illegible] wearing qualities [illegible]. Pair 49c
No Phone Orders or Exchanges, Please
Hosiery, Street Floor at THE BAY

Wool Felts
Clearance of a limited number of wool felt hats in brimmed or close fitting styles. All popular colors. Reduced 50c
Millinery, Fashion Floor at THE BAY